



City of Lake St. Croix Beach  
City Hall  
16455 20<sup>th</sup> Street South  
Lake St Croix Beach, MN 55043

**PARKS COMMISSION  
February 10th, 2026**

This meeting will NOT be on video.

**AGENDA**

1. Call to Order  
Roll Call
2. Public Comments
3. Approve Agenda
  - a. Motion to approve Agenda.  
Motion made by: \_\_\_\_\_ 2<sup>nd</sup> \_\_\_\_\_  
Discussion  
Roll Call Vote
4. Approve Minutes of January 13th, 2026, Meeting
  - a. Motion to approve Minutes of January 13, 2026 meeting as presented/amended  
Motion made by: \_\_\_\_\_ 2<sup>nd</sup> \_\_\_\_\_  
Discussion  
Roll Call Vote
5. Financial Report
6. Review of Annual Calendar - February
7. Staff Reports and Updates
  - a. City Clerk - Mary Ashby
    - Watercraft Permit Update
    - Twins Baseball Grant Update
    - Contact Baseball Teams Update
    - Mutt Mitt Dispenser
    - Beach Access Mats / Playground Equipment / AARP Grant
  - b. Bob Shearer –
9. Commissioner Reports  
Prater  
Peterson  
Sultan  
Witzel  
Chair Sandom
10. Adjourn





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**PARKS COMMISSION**  
**January 13th, 2026**

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## Minutes

1. Call to Order 6.02pm  
Roll Call: Present: Kris Peterson, Jo Sandom, Colin Sultan. Tim Schneider, Council Liaison.  
Absent: Scott Prater, Dave Witzel
2. Public Comments: Dawn Bulera stated that Newsletter says all meetings are recorded, however, Parks is not. Park Commissioners discussed the reasons for discontinuing video recordings last year, citing high costs and difficulty of making a recording while out at the Parks during the summer months.
3. Approve Agenda
  - a. Motion to approve Agenda.  
Motion made by: \_\_\_Jo Sandom\_\_\_\_\_ 2<sup>nd</sup> \_\_\_Kris Peterson\_\_\_\_\_
4. Approve Minutes of October 14, 2025, Meeting
  - a. Motion to approve Minutes of October 14, 2025 meeting as presented with possibility of future edits/amendments.  
Motion made by: \_\_\_Jo Sandom\_\_\_\_\_ 2<sup>nd</sup> \_\_\_Colin Sultan\_\_\_\_\_
5. Financial Report: Commissioners reviewed the financial report, discussing the December 31<sup>st</sup> Parks Budget Analysis for 2025. The overages in revenue and underspend in expenses are rolled back to the General Account. The Council has approved the budget numbers for 2026 and the budget items information for Parks will be provided at the next meeting.
6. Review of Annual Calendar: The Annual Calendar was reviewed and will be used by City Clerk as a basis for agendas throughout the year in addition to other items requested by Commissioners. City Beach clean-up day is currently set for May but is dependent on river levels and will be moved if necessary. City Clerk Ashby is planning to establish a committee to help organize the Heritage Day Event. A newsletter article giving details of the different tasks involved in planning for this event will be added to the February Newsletter asking for residents to volunteer their time and efforts for this community event. There was also discussion on the possibility of installing a wheelchair accessible ramp at the beach, by using mats to allow for wheelchair access across the sand. Commissioners will look at pricing out options and the potential of looking for grants to fund the project (ie to be ADA compliant?)
7. Review of Sub-Committees: Brief review of this graphic as no changes were made this year.

8. Staff Reports and Updates

a. City Clerk - Mary Ashby

- Watercraft Permit Renewal plan/Timeline: Commissioners reviewed and discussed a couple of items in the revised City Code book and Permit Application Form, specifically to do with permit violations and a ten-day grace period to correct the violation. City Clerk Ashby will start sending out Permit Renewal emails this week.
- Twins Baseball Grant: City Clerk will look into application requirements for this grant. Netting around the ball field is still needed.
- Contact Baseball Teams: City clerk will contact baseball teams to get signed Property Use Agreements for 2026 along with payment and proof of Liability Insurance. The Beach Bar will also be asked to complete the same Agreement as their volleyball courts are situated on City Property.
- Pettitt Park Banner Advertisers: Letters will go out in February for this program.
- Mutt Mitt Dispenser: Discussion around where to situate a new dispenser was held and tabled until the next meeting. Commissioners will consider options along Riviera Ave. City Clerk Ashby will order the dispenser during the 25% off sale and will have this ready for placement in the spring.

b. Bob Shearer – Not present

9. Commissioner Reports

Prater - absent

Peterson – nothing to report

Sultan – nothing to report

Witzel – absent

Tim Schneider, Council Liaison – mentioned the current ICE activity in the metro area. The beach and Riverfront Park are public areas but owned by the city. City Clerk Ashby reminded the group that the City Attorney had addressed this topic at a City Council meeting and there is nothing the city can do in this situation.

Chair Sandom – Mulch will need to be re-applied to the playground areas in the spring. Chair Sandom also mentioned that the addition of exercise equipment at Pettitt Park and other park locations be a consideration for this year, when reviewing 2026 budget at next meeting.

10. Adjourn – 7.14pm

## Parks Budget Analysis for 2025 as of December 31, 2025

Fund and Account Numbers/Descript	2025 Annual Budget	Actual to Date	Variance
<b>101 General Fund</b>			Over/(Under)
<b>34100 Parks &amp; Rec</b>			
34107 Park Rental	\$ 400.00	\$ 265.00	\$ (135.00)
34110 Beach Parking Permits	\$ 65,000.00	\$ 92,770.26	\$ 27,770.26
34120 Watercraft Permits	\$ 6,500.00	\$ 6,475.00	\$ (25.00)
34130 Other Park Revenue	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
<b>Total 34100 Parks &amp; Rec</b>	<b>\$ 71,900.00</b>	<b>\$ 99,510.26</b>	<b>\$ 27,610.26</b>
<b>45000 Parks &amp; Rec</b>			
45100 Park Wages & Benefits	\$ 14,771.00	\$ 12,002.18	\$ (2,768.82)
45105 Park Mnt, Supplies & Util (Includes 5% CC Fee)	\$ 13,000.00	\$ 14,853.14	\$ 1,853.14
45107 Beach Patrol	\$ 10,500.00	\$ 2,577.52	\$ (7,922.48)
<b>Total 45000 Parks &amp; Rec</b>	<b>\$ 38,271.00</b>	<b>\$ 29,432.84</b>	<b>\$ (8,838.16)</b>
<b>404 Pettitt Park</b> <i>This fund includes the banner fees</i>			
12/31/2024   Beginning Balance	\$ 407.74		
Banner Fee Revenue	\$ 1,400.00	See Below	
Revenue - Int/Donations, etc	\$ 889.98		
Budgeted Transfer	\$ 1,000.00		
Expenses	\$ -		
12/31/2025   Ending Balance	<u>\$ 3,697.72</u>		
12/31/2025   Projected Balance	<u>\$ 3,697.72</u>		
<b>405 Playground Imp Fund</b>			
12/31/2024   Beginning Balance	\$ 9,218.92		
Revenue - Int/Donations, etc	\$ 407.30		
Budgeted Transfer	\$ 1,000.00		
Expenses	\$ (203.24)		
Expenses - Other	\$ -		
12/31/2025   Ending Balance	<u>\$ 10,422.98</u>		
12/31/2025   Projected Balance	<u>\$ 10,422.98</u>		
<b>450-58023 Park Imp Fund</b>			
12/31/2024   Beginning Balance	\$ 4,594.79		
Revenue - Donations, etc	\$ -		
Budgeted Transfer	\$ 1,000.00		
Expenses	\$ -		
Expenses - Other	\$ -		
12/31/2025   Ending Balance	<u>\$ 5,594.79</u>		
12/31/2025   Projected Balance	<u>\$ 5,594.79</u>		
<b>Banner Fees:</b>			
St Croix Valley Athletic Assoc	200.00		
Al's Automatic Transmission	200.00		
Alec's Auto, LLC	200.00		
Pinky's Sewer Service	200.00		
Windmill Marina	200.00		
Hubbard	200.00		
River Valley Catering	200.00		

City of Lake St Croix Beach

2026 Proposed Budget and Levy with Budget Meeting 9/8/25 Updates

Inc (Dec) from  
2025 to 2026

Fund and Account Numbers/Description	2024 Actual	2025		YTD % Annual Budget	2026 Proposed Budget	2025 to 2026		Comments
		Preliminary YTD 8/31/25	2025 Annual Budget			\$	%	
<b>46500 Econ Dev</b>								
46505 Water Mgmt Org	4,346	4,403	4,400	100.1%	4,400	0	0.0%	PY
46510 Codification	0	0	0		0	0		
46525 Easement & Land Acq	0	0	0		0	0		
46530 City Dev - Heritage Day	929	1,257	1,500	83.8%	1,500	0	0.0%	
<b>Total 46500 Econ Dev</b>	<b>5,274</b>	<b>5,660</b>	<b>5,900</b>	<b>95.9%</b>	<b>5,900</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.0%</b>	
<b>49000 Miscellaneous</b>								
49240 Insurance - Prop & Liab	10,669	10,275	11,750	87.4%	11,000	(750)	-6.4%	
49250 Insurance - Workers Comp	1,580	1,264	1,750	72.2%	1,750	0	0.0%	
<b>Total 49000 Miscellaneous</b>	<b>12,249</b>	<b>11,539</b>	<b>13,500</b>	<b>85.5%</b>	<b>12,750</b>	<b>(750)</b>	<b>-5.6%</b>	
<b>49300 Oth Financing Uses/Trfs</b>								<b>Predicted Fund Balances</b>
49305 Trf to Street Imp Fd (LGA) 39305	121,488	48,485	119,428	40.6%	119,460	32	0.0%	Balance \$150,000.00 on 12/31/25
49306 Trf to Street Imp Fd (SCA) 39306	0	7,699	31,600	24.4%	25,574	(6,026)	-19.1%	
49307 Trf to Pettitt Park Fd 39307	1,000	500	1,000	50.0%	1,000	0	0.0%	Balance \$2,454.55 on 12/31/25
49309 Trf to Playground Fd 39309	(3,500)	500	1,000	50.0%	1,000	0	0.0%	Balance \$10,255.69 on 12/31/25
49310 Trf to Bluffland Fd	84,655	27,929	33,400	83.6%	35,000	1,600	4.8%	Balance \$25,914.73 on 12/31/25
49315 Trf to Bldg & Land Fd 39315	10,000	0	12,500	0.0%	12,500	0	0.0%	Balance \$3,276.04 on 12/31/25
49319 Trf to Street Imp Fd (Other) 39319	0	(60,000)	0		0	0		
49320 Trf to LT Imp - Water Main 58021	10,000	(45,948)	8,104	-567.0%	8,000	(104)	-1.3%	Balance \$15,000.00 on 12/31/25
49320 Trf to LT Imp - Veg Mgmt 58022	5,000	2,500	5,000	50.0%	5,000	0	0.0%	Balance \$10,406.05 on 12/31/25
49320 Trf to LT Imp - Parks Gen'l 58023	1,000	500	1,000	50.0%	1,000	0	0.0%	Balance \$5,594.79 on 12/31/25
49320 Trf to LT Imp - Equip/Vehicles 58024	0	948	1,896	50.0%	2,000	104	5.5%	Balance \$10,150.50 on 12/31/25
49320 Trf to LT Imp - Office Equip 58025	250	125	250	50.0%	250	0	0.0%	Balance \$1,750.00 on 12/31/25
49320 Trf to LT Imp - City Hall Imp 58026	5,000	0	10,000	0.0%	10,000	0	0.0%	Balance \$13,301.00 on 12/31/25
49320 Trf to LT Imp - Comp Plan 58027	4,000	250	500	50.0%	500	0	0.0%	Balance \$5,640.42 on 12/31/25
49320 Trf to LT Imp - Snow Ice Reserve 58028	0	0	0		0	0		Balance \$6,000.00 on 12/31/25
49320 Trf to LT Imp - Comm (Cable) 58030	0	0	0		0	0		Balance \$0.00 on 12/31/25
49320 Trf to LT Imp - Warning Siren	0	0	0		0	0		Balance \$600.00 on 12/31/25
49320 Trf to LT Imp - Codification 58032	2,000	2,750	5,500	50.0%	1,000	(4,500)	-81.8%	Balance \$10,639.68 on 12/31/25
49320 Trf to LT Imp - ROW 58033	5,988	2,500	5,000	50.0%	5,000	0	0.0%	Balance \$5,820.71 on 12/31/25
49320 Trf to LT Imp - Tree Prog 58034	5,000	2,500	5,000	50.0%	5,000	0	0.0%	Balance \$7,656.89 on 12/31/25
49320 Trf to LT Imp - Audit Legal 58035	500	250	500	50.0%	500	0	0.0%	Balance \$3,140.00 on 12/31/25

## LSCB Park Board Annual Calendar of Regularly Occurring Items

**January: 1/13/26 (CC 1/12/26)**

Oath of Office  
 Elect Chairperson & Secretary  
 Boat Permit renewal plan/timeline  
 Twins baseball grant  
 Contact baseball teams/ Beach Bar  
 Parks budget/expenses

**February: 2/10/26 (CC 2/9/26)**

Portable restroom quotes  
 Seasonal beach parking passes  
 Boat permit renewal status  
 Contact baseball banner advertisers  
 Parks budget/expenses

**March: 3/10/26 (CC 3/16/26)**

Boat permit applications review  
 Playground inspections  
 Parks budget/expenses

**April 4/14/26 (CC 4/20/26)**

Boat permit applications review  
 Boat permit wait list offers  
 Beach parking opens  
 Riverfront/Pettitt pavilion reservations forms  
 Parks budget/expenses

**May 5/12/26 (CC 5/18/26)**

Beach Cleanup  
 Boat permit wait list offers  
 Swim beach buoys  
 Boat compliance inspection form  
 Parks budget/expenses

**June 6/9/26 (CC 6/15/26)**

Heritage Day Plans  
 Boat Permit compliance inspection  
 Schedule date for city land walk about  
 Parks budget/expenses

**July 7/14/26 (CC 7/20/26)**

Boat permit compliance inspection  
 Updated boat permit list  
 Updated boat permit wait list  
 Shoreland park clean-up day  
 Heritage Day Plans  
 Parks budget/expenses

**August 8/11/26 (CC 8/17/26)**

Heritage Day report  
 Review boat/mooring guides for next year changes  
 Parks budget/expenses

**September 9/8/26 (CC 9/14/26)**

Finalize boat/mooring guide updates for CC submission  
 Heritage Day debrief  
 Parks budget/expenses

**October 10/13/26 (10/19/26)**

Buckthorn removal?  
 Beach parking closes  
 Parks budget/expenses

**November – No Park Board Meeting (CC 11/16/26)**

**December – No Park Board Meeting (CC 12/21/26)**

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**Scope of Board Responsibility:**

Base of bluff & toe of levy  
 Public beach area & Parking  
 Shoreland Park  
 Beach garage  
 Pettitt Park

**Out of Scope for Parks:**

Bluff/levy stabilization/improvements – City Council  
 Bike Trail – Washington County  
 Veterans Memorial – Vets Committee (Parks is informed of planned improvements)

**Items to Address for 2026:**

Finalize Vegetative Management Document  
 Twins baseball field grant application date(s)  
 Pettitt Park Solar Scoreboard and safety netting  
 Park equipment inventory list review & update



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Special soft balloon wheels glide smoothly over sand, turf, mud, gravel, and small rocks. Use on beaches, trails, sports fields, and other challenging terrain.

- Perfect for Children and Small Adults
- Stainless Steel Frame
- 360° Front Casters
- Adjustable Leg Rest
- Anti-Tip/Brake Bar and Lap Belt
- All-Terrain Wheels
- Salt Water Resistant, and UV Stable Acrylic Canvas Upholstery
- Adjustable Seat Tension
- Weight: 44 lbs.
- Capacity: 143 lbs.



## Wheeleez™ Sandcruiser Beach Wheelchair

- Electropolished, 316 Marine Grade Stainless Steel Frame
- No-Tool Assembly For Hassle-Free Transport and Storage
- Adjustable Leg Rest with Padded Hinge Protectors
- Brake Bar Functions as a Parking Brake and Prevents Backward Tipping for Safety and Stability
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- Adjustable Seating Tension is a Wheeleez Exclusive.
- Padded Armrests Swing Up and Out of the Way

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### AM

3'x25' ..... 825.00  
3'x33' ..... 1,000.00  
3'x50' ..... 1,395.00  
3'x100' ..... 2,600.00

5'x25' ..... 1,200.00  
5'x33' ..... 1,575.00  
5'x50' ..... 2,150.00  
5'x100' ..... 3,950.00

6'x25' ..... 1,450.00  
6'x33' ..... 1,900.00  
6'x50' ..... 2,525.00  
6'x100' ..... 4,675.00

10'x25' ..... 2,300.00  
10'x33' ..... 2,900.00  
10'x50' ..... 4,200.00

### GM

3'x33' ..... 790.00  
3'x66' ..... 1,525.00  
6'x33' ..... 1,510.00  
6'x66' ..... 2,850.00

### GrassMat SKU: GM

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Installed directly on existing surfaces. *Green or Brown*

Available in 3' or 6' widths by 33' or 66' lengths



### Beach Access Mat SKU: AM

Cool, even surface for walking, wheelchairs, strollers. Extremely durable, lightweight polyester. Easy to install (hardware included). 5-year warranty. *Blue, Brown, Tan*

Standard Lengths: 25', 33', 50', 100'

Standard Widths: 3', 5', 6', 10'



## CocoPath SKU: CCP

*Eco-friendly walkways made of 100% woven coconut fibers. Provides a stable surface that reduces slips and falls. Install using stakes or U-pins (stakes included).*

### Environmentally Friendly

CocoMat fibers are sustainably sourced and biodegradable.

### Portable and Lightweight

CocoMats weigh only 0.40 lbs. per sf. Can be rolled for transport and storage.

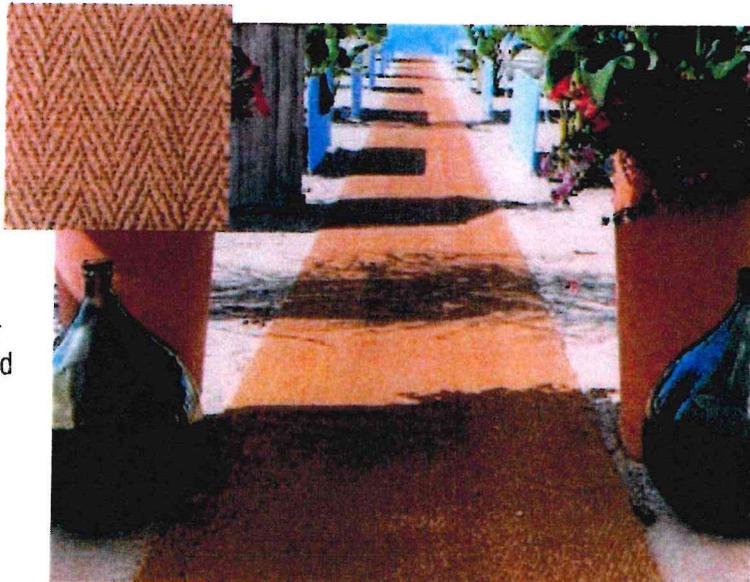
### Low Cost and Durable

The most affordable walkway solution on the market. CocoPath is resistant to UV rays, saltwater, pedestrian and wheelchair traffic and sand erosion. Edges are finished with cotton webbing to prevent fraying.

*Standard Widths: 3.28' or 6.56'*

*Standard Lengths: 32.8', 65.6', 98.4'*

*Stakes Included*



### CCP

3'x33' .....	450.00
3'x50' .....	695.00
3'x66' .....	875.00
3'x98' .....	1,275.00
6'x33' .....	875.00
6'x50' .....	1,300.00
6'x66' .....	1,700.00
6'x98' .....	2,500.00

### WMI

3'x33' .....	1,125.00
4'x33' .....	1,500.00

### WMII

3'x33' .....	1,575.00
4'x33' .....	2,100.00

### WMIII

3'x33' .....	1,800.00
4'x33' .....	2,375.00

### ADUSA

4'x6' .....	225.00
5'x6' .....	275.00

### SF

50' .....	499.00
100' .....	950.00

## WetMat I SKU: WMI

A general purpose, economical solution to provide a slip-resistant mat that provides safety and enhanced comfort to all users.

## WetMat II SKU: WMII

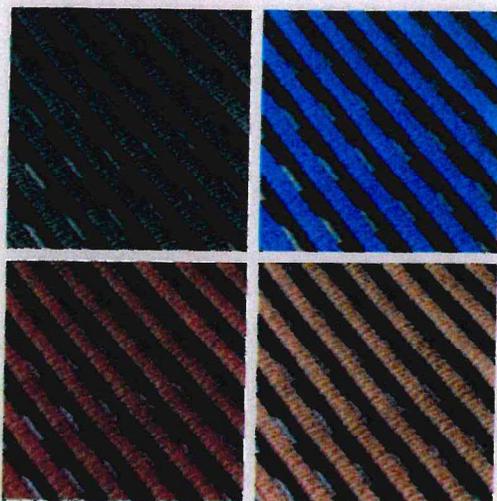
The ultimate sports and leisure matting for use in wet areas will automatically self-drain even the largest amounts of water. Perfect for around showers, pools, saunas, hot tub and other wet areas.

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A more rugged, durable, heavy-duty matting ideal for boat launches, boat ramps and any other areas where ground stabilization and safety is needed.

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*Black, Blue, Brown, Beige*



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SKU: ADUSA

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*Blue or Tan*

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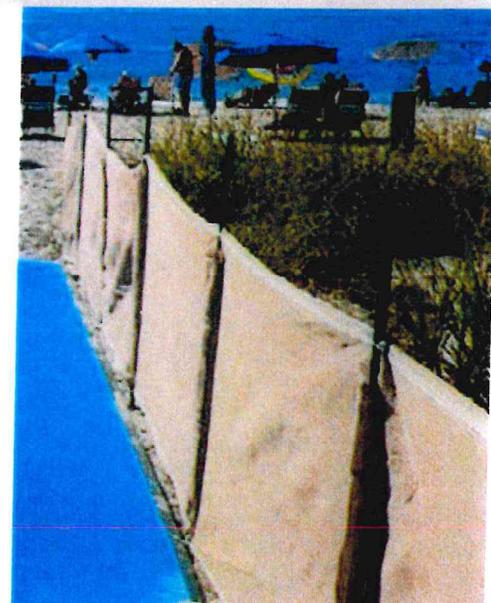
## Sand Fence

SKU: SF

- Keep sand off paths, properties & buildings
- Trap blowing sand and reduce wind
- Rebuild and nourish dunes
- Durable, nonfraying, reinforced top & bottom
- Does not require a trench
- Fabric pocket for stake (stakes not included)

*Sand or Green*

*3' tall by 50' or 100' lengths*



## AccessMat® Beach Access Surface 5ft-Width

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Availability In Stock

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For the 6 foot wide AccessMat please click [here](#).

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COLOR BLUE\*

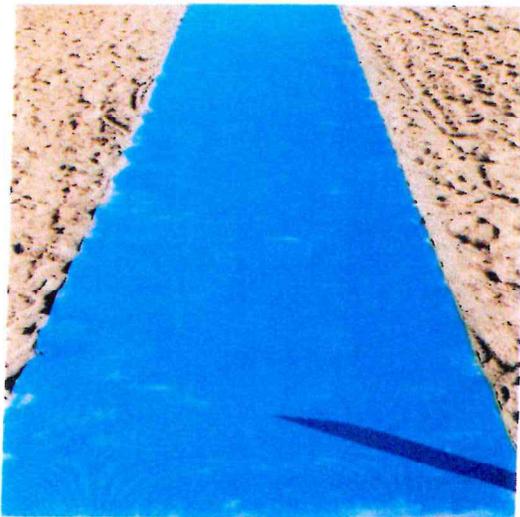
LENGTH (FT) \*

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\* Required Fields

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Installation is extremely simple and can be performed by just two people in less than 10 minutes! Whether you are using it for a temporary or permanent walkway, simply roll out the AccessMat® and stake it down at each pre-installed grommet using the included 10" to 20" spikes. The AccessMat® can then be removed just as easily as it was installed because the permeable structure allows sand to easily pass through and not get trapped under it. Virtually maintenance free!

The AccessMat® comes in 3', 5', 6' or 10' widths and is available in either blue or brown. The standard lengths are 25', 33', 50' and 100'.

Custom lengths available – please contact us for information pricing.

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- ADA/ABA Compliant
- Available in 3', 5', 6' or 10' widths
- Standard lengths of 25', 33', 50' and 100'
- Custom lengths available – please contact us for pricing
- Color: Blue or Brown
- Weight: 0.45 lbs per square foot

Everything you need for installation is included:

- Galvanized Spikes
- Carry Straps
- Plastic Grommets
- Aluminum Connector
- Plug

SKU #	Width (ft)	Length (ft)	Roll Weight (lbs)	Roll Diameter (in)
AM3-25	3	25	32	9
AM3-33		33	42	10
AM3-50		50	63	11
AM3-100		100	126	13
AM5-25	5	25	57	9
AM5-33		33	75	10
AM5-50		50	114	11
AM5-100		100	228	13
AM6-25	6	25	68	9
AM6-33		33	90	10
AM6-50		50	137	11
AM6-100		100	273	13

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 \$1,575.00  
 \$2,150.00  
 \$3,950.00  
 \$1,450.00  
 \$1,900.00  
 \$2,525.00  
 \$4,675.00

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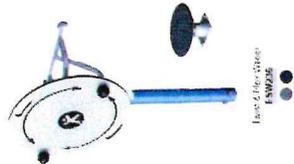
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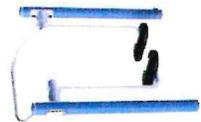
## MOBILITY



Easy & Free-Station  
**EWS26**



Push-Speedy-Station  
**EWS21**



Push-Station  
**EWS22**



Push-Station-Classic  
**EWS24**



Pushover-Station-Classic  
**EWS23**



Pushover-Station  
**EWS25**



### PRODUCT INFORMATION

Product Model	Product Name	Age Group	Weight Capacity (kg)	Wheelchair Accessible	Push-Station	Push-Station-Classic	Pushover-Station	Pushover-Station-Classic	Total Station
EWS26	Easy & Free-Station	3-12	30	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	1x
EWS21	Push-Speedy-Station	3-12	30	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	1x
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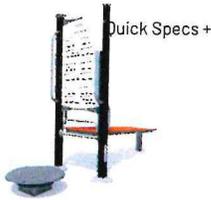
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Grants to make communities livable for people of all ages  
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## 2026 AARP Community Challenge

A grant program to make communities **more livable** for people **of all ages** with **tangible improvements** that jump-start **long-term change**

AARP invites you to apply for **quick-action projects** that help make communities more livable for all residents – especially those age 50 and over.

- **Application Deadline:** March 4, 2026, by 5:00 p.m. ET / 2:00 p.m. PT
- **Project Completion Deadline:** December 15, 2026
- **Submission:** Applications must be submitted online at [aarp.org/CommunityChallenge](https://aarp.org/CommunityChallenge)

### AARP LIVABLE COMMUNITIES

AARP Livable Communities supports neighborhoods, towns, cities, and counties across the country in becoming more livable for people of all ages and especially for residents age 50 and older. We believe that communities should offer:

- Safe, walkable streets
- Affordable and accessible housing and transportation options
- Access to essential services
- Opportunities for civic and community engagement

With offices in every state, the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico, and the U.S. Virgin Islands, AARP collaborates with local leaders in more than 1,000 communities that are part of the [AARP Network of Age-Friendly States and Communities](#). Our vision is for a future in which all communities – urban, suburban and rural – are great places to live for people of every age.

### AARP COMMUNITY CHALLENGE

Building great communities takes time, but quick actions can spark long-term progress. That's why AARP launched the Community Challenge in 2017 – to fund projects that accelerate change.

Since its inception, the AARP Community Challenge has awarded **2,100 grants totaling \$24.3 million** to projects that:

- Deliver tangible improvements to communities, such as new crosswalks, benches, bike lanes, housing designs, and public space enhancements.
- Leverage additional support from public, private, and philanthropic sources
- Help communities overcome policy barriers and implement lasting change
- Foster new collaborations and increase community engagement

AARP is now accepting applications for 2026 Community Challenge funding.

- **Public Q&A Webinar:** January 27, 2026, at 2:00 p.m. ET / 11:00 a.m. PT – [REGISTER HERE](#)
- **Application Deadline:** March 4, 2026, 5:00 p.m. ET / 2:00 p.m. PT
- **Project Completion Deadline:** December 15, 2026

Applications must be submitted online at [aarp.org/CommunityChallenge](http://aarp.org/CommunityChallenge). See **Attachment A** for a sample application.

## GRANT OPPORTUNITIES

In 2026, the AARP Community Challenge will accept applications across three distinct grant opportunities, each evaluated using a consistent scoring approach (see the Scoring section below).

### ➤ ***Flagship Grants***

AARP’s flagship Community Challenge grants range from a few hundred dollars for short-term activities to \$15,000 for larger initiatives. Since 2017, the average grant has been between \$10,000-12,000. AARP reserves the right to award compelling projects at any amount.

Eligible projects should benefit residents – especially those age 50 and older – in at least one of the following categories:

- Creating vibrant **public places** (i.e., parks, open spaces, community amenities)
- Expanding **transportation** and mobility options (i.e., walkability, bikeability, transit access)
- Increasing **housing** options (i.e., accessible and affordable choices)
- Enhancing **digital connections** and digital literacy
- Strengthening **disaster resilience** (i.e., disaster preparedness and mitigation)

### ➤ ***Capacity-Building Microgrants***

These \$2,500 microgrants come with added support, including webinars, cohort learning, up to two hours of coaching from national nonprofit organizations working with AARP to support the AARP Community Challenge program, and AARP resources.

Eligible projects should benefit residents – especially those age 50 and older – in at least one of the following categories:

- **Walk Audits:** Conduct walkability assessments with support from [America Walks](#) and the [AARP Walk Audit Tool Kit](#).
- **Bike Audits:** Conduct bikeability assessments with support from [League of American](#)

[Bicyclists](#) and the [AARP Bike Audit Tool Kit](#).

- **HomeFit® Guide Modifications:** Promote safe, accessible homes through education and/or simple modifications with support from [RL Mace Universal Design Institute](#) and the [AARP HomeFit® Guide](#).
- **Disaster Preparedness Training:** Implement training programs and/or distribute preparedness resources with support from [SBP](#) and the [AARP Disaster Resilience Tool Kit](#).

#### ➤ **Demonstration Grants**

These grants support projects that can be replicated in other communities. Awards typically range from \$10,000-\$20,000 and will not exceed \$25,000.

Eligible projects should benefit residents – especially those age 50 and older – in at least one of the following categories:

- **Pedestrian Safety:** Improve the safety of streets and sidewalks; funding support from Toyota Motor North America.
- **High-Speed Internet:** Increase broadband access and adoption; funding support from Microsoft.
- **Housing Design Competitions:** Promote understanding and implementation of housing policies that support a variety of community needs using the [AARP Housing Design Competition Tool Kit](#).

**Note:** See **Attachment B** for examples of previously funded AARP Community Challenge projects.

Eligible Organizations may apply for **multiple grant opportunities** and submit **more than one application**.

## ELIGIBILITY

To be eligible for the AARP Community Challenge, each project must meet the criteria outlined in the **GRANT OPPORTUNITIES** section and satisfy the following requirements related to organization type, mission focus, and project type:

- **ORGANIZATION TYPE:** The program is open to the following types of organizations:
  - **501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(6) nonprofit organizations** (*recognized by the IRS*)
  - **Government entities**
  - **Other organizations** considered on a case-by-case basis

**Note:** AARP does not fund for-profit companies or individuals.
- **MISSION FOCUS:** Projects must align with AARP’s mission to serve the needs of people age 50 and older.
- **PROJECT TYPE:** AARP Community Challenge grants support the following types of projects:

- **Permanent physical improvements** in the community
- **Temporary demonstrations** that lead to long-term change
- **New, innovative programming pilots or services**

## INELIGIBLE PROJECTS

The following types of projects are **not eligible** for funding:

- Partisan, political, voter, or election-related activities
- Planning activities, assessments, or surveys without tangible community engagement
- Studies with no follow-up action
- Publication of books or reports
- Land or building acquisition
- Purchase of vehicles or mechanical equipment (i.e., cars, trucks, buses, snow mobiles, snow grooming machines, tractors)
- Sponsorship of other organizations' events or activities
- Research and development for nonprofit or for-profit ventures
- Promotion of for-profit entities or their products/services

## SCORING

Eligible projects will be evaluated based on the following criteria:

- **IMPACT (60 points):** The project demonstrates strong potential to create meaningful change by addressing community-identified needs aligned with Livable Communities priorities – particularly those of people age 50 and older. It shows a clear ability to overcome barriers and effectively accelerate, expand, or sustain efforts that make the community more livable.
- **EXECUTION (30 points):** The applicant demonstrates the capacity to complete the project on time and within budget, effectively engage residents and stakeholders, and leverage volunteers in implementation.
- **INNOVATION (10 points):** The project incorporates creative approaches, unique designs, or engagement strategies that enhance its impact on residents – especially those age 50 and older.

## APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

To be considered for funding, applicants must:

- Meet all **eligibility requirements** outlined in the program guidelines
- Submit a **complete application** through [AARP.org/CommunityChallenge](https://www.aarp.org/CommunityChallenge)
- Ensure submission is received **by March 4, 2026, 5:00 p.m. ET / 2:00 p.m. PT**

**Note:** Late or incomplete applications will not be reviewed.

## GRANT SELECTION

Grant recipients will be selected by an AARP panel of experts in aging, community development and livable communities. Projects will be evaluated based on their potential to create immediate, meaningful change that leads to long-term impact, as well as how well they meet the established selection criteria.

## GRANT SELECTION NOTIFICATION

All applicants – both selected and not selected – will be notified via email in **May 2026**.

Selected applicants must complete and return a signed grant agreement and eSupplier vendor registration to AARP by **June 10, 2026**. Failure to meet this deadline may result in disqualification or delayed funding.

## 2026 TIMELINE

Dates	Key Activity
<b>January 27, 2026</b> 2:00 p.m. ET / 11:00 a.m. PT	Public Q&A Webinar for applicants. <a href="#">REGISTER HERE</a>
<b>March 4, 2026</b> 5:00 p.m. ET / 2:00 p.m. PT	Application deadline. <a href="#">APPLY HERE</a>
<b>Mid-May 2026</b>	Notification of selected and non-selected applicants via email
<b>June 10, 2026</b>	Deadline for selected applicants to submit signed grant agreements and complete eSupplier vendor registration
<b>June 24, 2026</b> (tentative)	Public announcement of grantees and project start date
<b>December 15, 2026</b>	Project completion deadline
<b>December 31, 2026</b>	Deadline to submit After-Action Report

## ADDITIONAL OPPORTUNITIES

### An Opportunity for Other Possible AARP Funding:

By submitting a proposal to the AARP Community Challenge, you and your organization give AARP permission to reach out to you and others at your organization about other possible AARP funding opportunities that your proposal may be eligible for based on the AARP Community Challenge criteria. However, please note that AARP is not obligated in any way to consider your proposal for any additional AARP funding.

### Note Regarding Other Potential Funders:

AARP might be contacted by other potential funders that could be interested in funding projects that were not funded through the AARP Community Challenge. The potential funders may have additional process steps and funding requirements than those of the AARP Community Challenge.

If requested, AARP would like to send your business contact information, organization name and a short description of the proposal, including the community where the project would take place (“Project Information”).

Please note that these projects will be subject to any potential funder’s own terms, conditions and review.

Please indicate in your application whether or not you give permission to AARP to share your “Project Information” with other potential funders. We will alert you before this “Project Information” is given to potential funders.

### SUBMISSION TERMS AND CONDITIONS

If you submit this application, you agree on behalf of yourself and your organization to release AARP and its affiliates and their respective officers, directors, employees, contractors, agents and representatives from all liability associated with submission and evaluation of your organization’s application.

By submitting an application to AARP, the applicant affirms they are an authorized representative of the potential grantee, and by and on behalf of potential grantee agrees that:

- The decisions of AARP regarding the eligibility of applicants and the validity of entries shall be final and binding.
- All submissions will be judged by AARP, whose decisions and determinations as to the administration of the award and selection of award recipients are final.
- AARP has the right, in its sole discretion, to cancel, or suspend any grant award.
- All projects and applications will comply with applicable law and will not violate any third-party rights.
- Except where prohibited by law, participation in the AARP Community Challenge constitutes the Applicant’s consent to AARP’s use of the organization’s name and corporate logo, street address, city, state, zip code, county, and names, likenesses, photographs, videos, images, and statements made or provided by the Applicant’s representatives regarding the award for promotional purposes in any media without further permission, consent, payment or other consideration in perpetuity.
- Receipt of grant funding requires execution of a grant agreement with AARP and completion of eSupplier registration by June 10, 2026, and compliance with the promotional toolkits. Further,

- Grantees will be responsible for all grant activities performed under the AARP grant agreement. Grantees must maintain insurance coverage sufficient to cover the activities, risks, and potential omissions of the grant activities in accordance with generally accepted industry standards and as required by law. Grantees must also ensure contractors, agents, subcontractors, and providers of services maintain insurance coverage consistent with this section.
- All promotional materials (such as newsletters, press releases), events and signage related to the funded project will include a statement indicating that support was received from AARP in compliance with the AARP Community Challenge Promotional Toolkit to be provided to selected grantees.
- Grantees are required to capture photos, videos and/or stories from the project. As Grantee captures photos, videos and/or stories from the project, if an identifiable individual appears in the photos, videos and/or stories, grantee is responsible for having him/her sign the AARP General Release. (This document will be provided to grantees.) In addition, grantee agrees not to include any element in photos or videos or other materials provided to AARP that violates third party rights, such as artwork (including sculptures) and trademarks in text and logo used without permission. Grantee may be asked to send work-in-progress photos to AARP upon request. Following the grant period, grantees are required to respond to periodic requests for updates from AARP.
- The submission of the After-Action Report at the conclusion of the project is required by the deadline. Failure to submit the required report will result in the removal from the AARP website until the time of submission, and non-completion will disqualify a grantee from future AARP Community Challenge grant programs.
- AARP and its affiliated organizations, subsidiaries, agents and employees are not responsible for late, lost, illegible, incomplete, stolen, misdirected, illegitimate, or impermissible submissions or any other error whether human, mechanical or electronic.

