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Tuscaloosa County Park
& Recreation Authority



2022



Annual Report Adaptation & Innovation ARPA Agency of the Year

ENRICHING OUR COMMUNITY THROUGH EXCITING RECREATIONAL AND CULTURAL OPPORTUNITIES

PARA Offices

ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE

614 Greensboro Avenue
Tuscaloosa, AL 35401
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205-562-3220

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P.O. Box 2496
Tuscaloosa, AL 35403

JERRY BELK ACTIVITY CENTER

2101 Bowers Park Drive
Tuscaloosa, AL 35405
205-562-3200

FAUCETT BROTHERS ACTIVITY CENTER

13040 Eugenia Faucett Drive
Northport, AL 35473
205-331-5600

MCDONALD HUGHES COMMUNITY CENTER

3101 Martin Luther King, Jr. Boulevard
Tuscaloosa, AL 35401
205-562-3215

LEROY MCABEE, SR. ACTIVITY CENTER

3801 Loop Road
Tuscaloosa, AL 35404
205-562-3235

BOBBY MILLER ACTIVITY CENTER

300 Bobby Miller Parkway
Tuscaloosa, AL 35405
205-758-0419

MARY ANN PHELPS ACTIVITY CENTER

2200 Rock Quarry Drive
Tuscaloosa, AL 35406
205-562-3230

JERRY TINGLE ACTIVITY CENTER

21973 Hwy 216
McCalla, AL 35111
205-277-8195

Office and Activity Center hours of operation varied during the year as mandated by federal, state and local health guidelines for the COVID-19 pandemic.

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PARK OPERATIONS/MAINTENANCE

1600 James I. Harrison, Jr. Parkway East
Tuscaloosa, AL 35405
205-562-3210

OL' COLONY GOLF COMPLEX

401 Old Colony Road
Tuscaloosa, AL 35406
Open 7 days a week with seasonal hours
205-562-3201

TUSCALOOSA TENNIS CENTER

715 21st Avenue East
Tuscaloosa, AL 35404
Open 7 days a week with seasonal hours
205-331-0211

ARTS & HUMANITIES COUNCIL OF TUSCALOOSA COUNTY/BAMA THEATRE

600 Greensboro Avenue
Tuscaloosa, AL 35401
205-758-5195

Cover photo: Soccer Coach Claire Dickinson learned the game while playing with PARA youth soccer.

Message from the Director

Dear Friends,

The year 2020 was a challenge for PARA. The largest pandemic of our lifetime affected every area of our operations and tested us in ways that we had never experienced before, but this agency was up to the task with adaptation and innovation. PARA was voted as “Agency of the Year” in the state of Alabama by our professional peers for the second time in five years; something that has never happened before.



Things were done a little differently in 2020. We had drive-up ceremonies and movies instead of traditional baseball and softball seasons. For a while, we held day camp with kids being separated one from another by six feet of social distance, which was quite the challenge. Lord, I pray we don't have to do that again. Many of our sports and programs were temporarily cancelled by state and federal health orders, but we adjusted and provided safe programs and facilities as restrictions allowed for our community. Our outdoor parks proved more essential to our community's health, well being and recreation.

The number of capital projects was small in 2020, but we did add a few new items. At the McDonald Hughes Community Center an indoor playground, renovated locker rooms and covered walkway were added. In Evans-Roshell Park a community storm shelter was constructed and in Cardinal Park a new disc golf course was added.

In 2021, we look forward to once again producing “Celebration on the River,” the signature Independence Day event, Tuscaloosa Oktoberfest, and enjoying the annual “PARA West Alabama Christmas Parade.” Those events were all cancelled in 2020 due to COVID-19 safety precautions.

On the bright side, participation was high at Ol' Colony Golf Course and Tuscaloosa Tennis Center even during the height of the pandemic. Memberships, which dropped in number at our activity centers through most of 2020, started to increase in the last quarter of the year. People are ready to play again as youth and adult sports are back in demand, a good indication that we are on the road to recovery.

During a time of shutdowns, distancing, masking and sanitizing, PARA ultimately had a very productive year. We look forward to continuing to serve our community with essential and exciting recreational and cultural opportunities.

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Gary Minor". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Gary" being more prominent than the last name "Minor".

Gary Minor, Executive Director

Board of DIRECTORS

as of October 1, 2020

Curtis Travis, Chairman, appointed by Tuscaloosa County Commission
Hezekiah Carstarphen, appointed by City of Tuscaloosa
Joe Duckworth, Jr., appointed by City of Tuscaloosa
Gary Falls, appointed by Tuscaloosa County Commission
Sam Faucett, appointed by City of Northport
Bobby Franks, appointed by Tuscaloosa County Board of Education
Peggy Hogue, appointed by City of Tuscaloosa
Elizabeth Winter, appointed by Tuscaloosa City Board of Education

Elected OFFICIALS

Tuscaloosa City Council

Walt Maddox, Mayor
District 3 Cynthia Lee Almond, President
District 1 Phyllis Wade Odom
District 2 Raevan Howard
District 4 Lee Busby
District 5 Kip Tyner
District 6 Edwin Pugh
District 7 Sonya McKinstry

Tuscaloosa County Commission

Rob Robertson, Probate Judge
District 1 Stan Acker
District 2 Jerry Tingle
District 3 Mark Nelson
District 4 Reginald Murray

Northport City Council

Bobby Herndon, Mayor
District 5 Jeff Hogg, President
District 1 Christy Bobo
District 2 Woodrow Washington, III
District 3 John Hinton
District 4 Jamie Dykes

Board of Education

Dr. Mike Daria, Superintendent
Tuscaloosa City Schools
Dr. Keri Johnson, Superintendent
Tuscaloosa County Schools

U.S. Senators

Hon. Doug Jones
Hon. Richard Shelby

U.S. Representatives

Hon. Robert Aderholt
Hon. Terri Sewell

Governor

Hon. Kay Ivey

Secretary of State

Hon. John Merrill

State Senators

Hon. Gerald Allen
Hon. Greg Reed
Hon. Bobby Singleton

State Representatives

Hon. Christopher England
Hon. Artis McCampbell
Hon. Bill Poole
Hon. Kyle South
Hon. Rodney Sullivan
Hon. Rich Wingo

2020



OUR MISSION:

Enriching our community through exciting recreational and cultural opportunities

Highlights



ACTIVE CLASSROOMS



GROUNDBREAKING

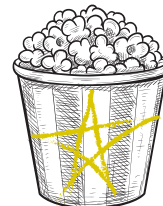
All-Inclusive Playground Project



TUSCALOOSA TENNIS CENTER

17,698

Reach through Net Generation



HOLIDAY MOVIE SERIES



BOO!
In the Park



Holly Jolly
In the Park



50+

Parks and Facilities



596

Youth Basketball Players



2 TIME

State Soccer Champions



CLEAN PARA

Healthy You



DRIVE-IN

Veterans Day Program



76,653

Youth Athletics Attendance

569,848

COVID-19 Attendance



AGENCY OF THE YEAR

MARK HARRISON

Professional of the Year
Parks

BECKY BOOKER

CPRP | Spotlight Award

BRADLEE COLBURN

CPRP | Spotlight Award

GARY MINOR

ARPA Board President



175,267

Center Daily Users



a PARA property

35,077

Rounds of Golf



PARKS ARE ESSENTIAL

for Mental and Physical Health

The PARA Foundation



The PARA Foundation enjoyed a second year in a row of record fundraising work toward building the Tuscaloosa All-Inclusive Playground in Sokol Park. Most notable for 2020, was a spring groundbreaking planned for Phase One of the playground. Although the ceremony was temporarily delayed due to the COVID-19 pandemic, it was rescheduled for September with a scaled down ceremony to embrace safety awareness, social distancing and virtual adaptation. This custom designed and highly anticipated project was begun!

The PARA Foundation supports other important initiatives beyond TAPP. The Veterans Memorial Park Endowment consistently provides for the upkeep and improvements in one of the state's best Veterans parks. The Will May Dog Park enjoys high quality upkeep as local dog lovers donate to its four pawed cause. The Tuscaloosa Junior Golf Academy and other youth sports benefit from Foundation initiatives to further athletic opportunities for non-traditional sports. The Therapeutic Recreation program, serving adults with developmental disabilities, remains strong with donations for this one-of-a-kind programming in west Alabama.

Finally, The PARA Foundation benefitted from a revitalization of its brand language.

Our Why:

We believe that every resident of Tuscaloosa County should have access to a healthy and wholesome quality of life. Through accessible parks and facilities, and the offering of recreation programs, healthy habits are built, lasting memories are made, and our community prospers.

Our Purpose:

The PARA Foundation exists to help bridge gaps and build necessary relationships that advances both PARA's mission and the parks, facilities, and recreational needs of Tuscaloosa County.

Our Vision:

To create a sustainable legacy that unites our community with opportunities where families and individuals can come together to explore, connect, and grow in our parks and our facilities and through recreation programs.

Our Purpose:

To work alongside donors, advocates, and stakeholders as we raise funds and awareness for Tuscaloosa County's parks, facilities, and recreation programs.

The PARA Foundation is a 501c3 tax-exempt charitable organization established in 1976. It is managed by a board of directors composed of leaders within Tuscaloosa County. For more information contact: Caroline Lasseter, The PARA Foundation 205-562-3220 x 36 or classeter@tcpara.org.

Proposed Design

PARA ACTIVITY CENTERS

PARA has seven Activity Centers conveniently located throughout the community. Each has its own character and most have a gymnasium, fitness equipment, catering kitchen and rooms available to rent for meetings, parties, classes or other functions. Four levels of annual center membership - each with included fitness classes - are available for purchase. Membership options, casual user fees and rentals are economically priced.

Jerry Belk Activity Center

- Opened August 1997; dedicated October 1997
- Featuring two gyms, walking track and fitness equipment

Faucett Brothers Activity Center

- Opened March 2013; dedicated May 2013
- Featuring recreational and therapeutic pools, archery park, rock climbing wall and walking track

McDonald Hughes Community Center

- Acquired December 1997; addition dedicated June 1999 and renovated in 2017 and 2020
- Featuring fitness equipment and catering kitchen
- McDonald Hughes Community Safe Room opened 2019

Leroy McAbee, Sr. Activity Center

- Opened April 1998; dedicated July 1998
- Featuring a recreational and therapeutic pool
- Collaborating with FOCUS 50+ for joint usage of Center

Bobby Miller Activity Center

- Opened September 2006; dedicated September 2006
- Featuring the Brown Branch of the Tuscaloosa Public Library
- Featuring walking track, recreational and therapeutic pools, climbing wall, racquetball, and indoor playground

Mary Ann Phelps Activity Center

- Opened February 1998; dedicated June 1998
- Featuring a walking track and fitness equipment

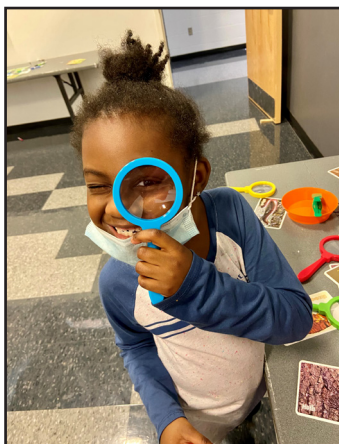
Jerry Tingle Activity Center

- Opened December 2018
- Featuring indoor pool with tube slides, fitness equipment and community room





Special Events



Active Classrooms featured STEAM activities along with physical activity outdoors, virtual classroom time and more.

Holly Jolly In the Park

December 11
Jaycee Park
701 Kicker Road
Enter from Kicker Road

6-7 pm Selfies with Santa and Mrs. Claus
7 pm showing of Dr. Seuss' **The GRINCH**
Free and open to the public
Concessions available for purchase
tcpara.org/events

BOO! IN THE PARK

TRICK OR TREAT TRAILS & MOVIES IN THE PARK

3 for \$5

6:30 pm

8:30 pm

TUNE IN TO 87.9 FM

PAYPAL

CASH APP

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If you enjoyed BOO! In the Park, please consider making a donation toward more park events. Scan a QR code above or make a cash donation to PARA at the Pepsi trailer.

Thank you to our Sponsors

IMPORTANT FAQ

- EXIT TO WATERMELON ROAD
- TRAFFIC FLOW IS ONE WAY Unless in an emergency
- RESTROOMS OPPOSITE THE CONCESSION STAND
- LOST PARENTS AT FIRST AID TENT

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Enriching our community through exciting recreational and cultural opportunities

New/Reinvented Events due to COVID-19 Pandemic

- * Active Classrooms, formerly PARAkids Day Camp
- * Drive Up Veteran's Day Program
- * BOO! In the Park
- * Holly Jolly in the Park

Events cancelled due to COVID-19 Pandemic

- * Memorial Day Program
- * PARAkids Zone on July 4
- * West Alabama Christmas Parade
- * Breakfast with the Easter Bunny
- * Retirement party for Mr. McAbee

and Sponsors



The PARA Foundation and stakeholders broke ground on Phase One of the Tuscaloosa All-Inclusive Playground on September 21, in a socially distanced ceremony.



The Veterans Memorial Park Association held a socially distanced, drive-up Veterans Day Program adjacent to Tuscaloosa Veterans Memorial Park.

Ol' Colony Golf Complex



Ol' Colony continues to improve year after year and is one of the best public courses in the southeast. The Jerry Pate Design has gone through a few renovations and began the final phase of tree clearing, and irrigation improvements to enhance the game experience.

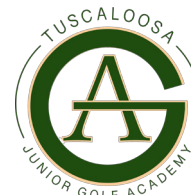
The golf course covers 210 acres of beautiful terrain that surround two lakes and a creek that runs through the property, providing many challenges for the golfer. Five different tee complexes offer golfers of all skill levels many choices to enjoy while playing the gracious fairways and large green spaces.

Ol' Colony is home to the Tuscaloosa Junior Golf Academy, a program that reaches 14,000+ children annually. Our outreach program covers all 31 elementary schools, plus middle and high school golf programs. We reach these children through golf and offer them life skills in addition to teaching and coaching opportunities.

The Bounce Back Grille serves freshly cooked food and spirits for our customers convenience. Outdoor seating provides beautiful views of the course and local wildlife, while enjoying a freshly prepared meal.

Our friendly staff is always ready to help you whether you need a tee time, new clubs or lessons. Come out and enjoy our beauty!

John Gray, PGA Director of Golf
Brad Ambler, PGA Head Golf Professional
Mike Shivetts, Director, Tuscaloosa Junior Golf Academy
Bob Montgomery, PGA Club Fitting Specialist
Gib Fox, Director of Golf Course Maintenance



Tuscaloosa Tennis Center



The year 2020 was a rocky road, for all of us. Who would have imagined when the year started the many challenges the city, county, state, country, and world was about to face? Despite these disruptions, Tuscaloosa Tennis Center adapted and grew in many ways.

We had the good fortune of welcoming numerous new players as well as players who played many years ago but found tennis again. Tennis was a sport and activity that many of us could lean on in our collective efforts to deal with our stress, anxiety, and sedentary lifestyle that COVID-19 presented.

Membership at TTC continued to grow and play occasions rose significantly, especially in casual play. Several of our program offerings paused during the months of March-May, but we regained momentum starting in June with our clinics, lessons, in-house and Tuscaloosa Tennis Association leagues, and our UTR tournament series. On numerous occasions, our UTR tournaments filled to capacity and on two occasions we needed a second facility to handle the large number of participants. We ran our first ever Inter-collegiate Tennis Association (ITA) circuit tournament in the fall. The play level was extraordinary and by all accounts, our members and patrons loved watching the high level of play over the course of the weekend.

We embrace the opportunities 2021 presents and look forward to servicing our members, patrons, and the game better and bigger than ever. We have big plans and hope you will come along for the ride with us. We look forward to seeing you on the courts!

Mike Goldammer, Director of Tennis
Mandy Ennis, Operations Manager

Arts Council of Tuscaloosa

**THE ARTS
COUNCIL**

The mission of The Arts Council is to promote and encourage the arts and humanities in Tuscaloosa County. The Arts Council serves as the umbrella organization for 50 Member Organizations, offers educational programs and manages both the historic Bama Theatre and Dinah Washington Cultural Arts Center. Member organizations are local nonprofit arts and cultural groups that contribute to the local community through their programming and educational services.

The Bama Theatre has been a Tuscaloosa feature since 1938 and continues to serve as a venue for film, music, theatre, visual art and dance. The Council recognizes volunteers, educators and artists in the biennial Druid Arts Awards, and the Small Grants Program nurtures small and pilot arts activities. The Bama Fanfare, Spectra and the Poetry Out Loud educational programs serve over 40,000 children annually.

The West Alabama Arts Education Collaborative project serves to offer training for teaching artists in all arts disciplines in using arts integration and the assessment of longevity of skills learned. It also offers training for community arts organizations in arts integration/recruitment of local teaching artists and trains principals on the benefits of becoming an arts integrated school.

Gallery exhibits sponsored by The Arts Council include the West Alabama Juried Show, Double Exposure Photography Competition and the Visual Art Achievement Awards. The Dinah Washington Cultural Arts Center, at 620 Greensboro Ave., includes a black box theatre, The Arts Council Gallery, The University of Alabama Gallery, the Grand Hall, professional catering kitchen, conference room and office space.

Events sponsored by The Council at the facility include multiple exhibits per year in the gallery and collaborative events in the Grand Hall.

Visit www.tuscart.org for more information.

2020 Capital Project Management

The year 2020 was distinguished by adaptation and innovation due to the coronavirus pandemic, however we did have a few capital project advancements.

1. Storm Shelter installation in Evans-Roshell Park
2. Indoor playground, covered walkway and locker room renovation at Hughes Community Center
3. Disc Golf Course installation in Cardinal Park

Attendance

January 1-December 31, 2020



Attendance was significantly affected by COVID-19

Open park use was greatly increased and is not included in attendance numbers



Net Generation Tennis served 17,698 youth in the community

Program	By Reservation	Percentage
Aquatics	11,059	1.94%
Arts	22,138	3.88%
Athletics		
Adult	1,011	0.18%
Youth	76,653	13.43%
Casual and Membership Uses	175,267	30.70%
Facility Rental/Users		
Center Rentals	71,679	12.56%
Fields	12,193	2.14%
Other Indoor Facilities	9,840	1.72%
Other Outdoor Facilities	6,166	1.08%
Shelters	21,874	3.83%
Fitness Instruction 18,931*		0.00%
Instructional Classes	228	0.04%
Ol' Colony Golf	86,118	15.09%
Rounds 35,077		
Driving Range 32,540		
Tuscaloosa Junior Golf Academy 12,571		
Diner, non-golf 5,930		
Tuscaloosa Tennis Center	44,863	7.86%
PARA4Life and other Senior	1,528	0.27%
Outdoor Adventure	0	0.00%
Special Events	1,370	0.24%
Community Programming	15,329	2.69%
Therapeutic Recreation	2,991	0.52%
Youth, non-athletic	9,928	1.74%
PARAkidsDay Camp 8,593		
Childcare at Faucett 1,335		
Volunteers Hours	624	0.11%
TOTAL	570,859	100.00%

Capital

Disbursements

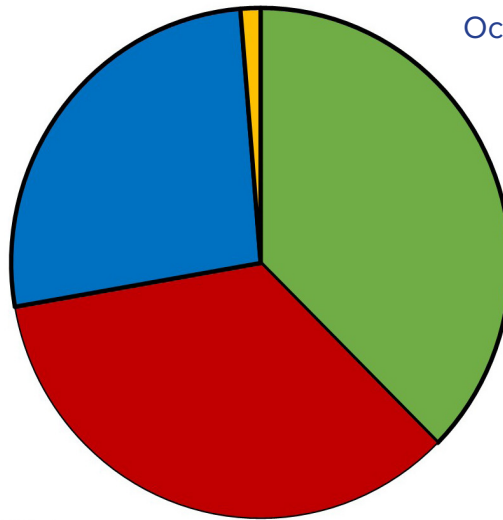
October 1, 2019 September 30, 2020

CAPITAL DISBURSEMENTS		
PARA DIVISIONS	Dollar Amount	Percentage
PARK DEVELOPMENT	\$197,192.70	27.8%
VETERANS MEM. PARK	\$371.00	0.1%
TAPP PLAYGROUND	\$197,711.67	27.9%
MAPP BUILDING IMPROVEMENTS	\$2,939.74	0.4%
TINGLE FURNISHINGS	\$193,303.54	27.3%
HURRICANE CREEK PARK	\$5,126.50	0.7%
DISTRICT 2 SPECIAL APPROPRIAT	\$6,728.35	0.9%
MCABEE CENTER ADDITION	-\$79,605.71	-11.2%
TINGLE ACTIVITY CENTER	\$324.00	0.0%
MCDONALD HUGHES CENTER	\$184,287.31	26.0%
TOTAL	\$708,379.10	100.0%

Receipts

October 1, 2019-September 30, 2020

- PARA Fees
- CITY OF TUSCALOOSA
- TUSCALOOSA COUNTY
- CITY OF NORTHPORT



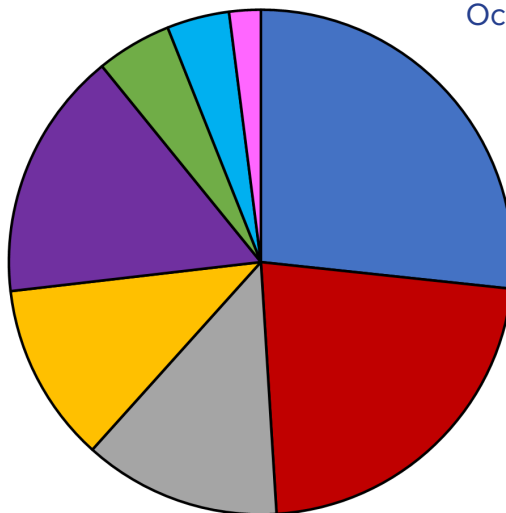
**In the past five years
PARA Fees and
Income averaged
40% to 44%**

Funding Source	Dollar Amount	Percentage
PARA Fees	\$4,498,146.59	37.4%
CITY OF TUSCALOOSA	\$4,183,073.30	34.8%
TUSCALOOSA COUNTY	\$3,177,172.16	26.4%
CITY OF NORTHPORT	\$156,250.00	1.3%
TOTAL	\$12,014,642.05	100.0%

Disbursements

October 1, 2019-September 30, 2020

- PARKS & RANGERS
- ACTIVITY CENTERS
- GOLF
- LEISURE
- GENERAL ADMINISTRATION
- OUTDOOR DEVELOPMENT
- TENNIS
- ARTS COUNCIL



PARA DIVISION	Dollar Amount	Percentage
PARKS & RANGERS	\$3,232,513.62	26.7%
ACTIVITY CENTERS	\$2,703,370.85	22.3%
GOLF	\$1,532,644.58	12.7%
LEISURE	\$1,393,030.03	11.5%
GENERAL ADMINISTRATION	\$1,935,348.32	16.0%
OUTDOOR DEVELOPMENT	\$585,069.60	4.8%
TENNIS	\$485,324.45	4.0%
ARTS COUNCIL	\$244,987.45	2.0%
TOTAL	\$12,112,288.90	100.0%

PARA Properties

PARKS/BOATS

	Acres	Capacity
1 BAMA Rock Garden	59	
11038 Bama Rock Garden Rd., Vance 35496		
2 Bowers Park	156.8	
2101 Bowers Park Drive, Tuscaloosa 35405		
Elm Shelter		50
Maple Shelter		75
Minnie Sellers Shelter		150-175
Pine Shelter		50
Sycamore Shelter		75
3 Braughton Park	15	
13166 Hwy 11 South, Fosters 35463		
4 Capitol Park	5	
2800 6th Street, Tuscaloosa 35401		
5 Cardinal Park	5	
7325 Robert Cardinal Airport Rd., Tuscaloosa 35401		
Cardinal Shelter		75
6 Evans-Roshell Park	3.5	
4006 20th Street NE, Tuscaloosa 35401		
7 Faucett Brothers Park	80	
13040 Eugenia Faucett Dr., Northport 35473		
Hawthorne Shelter		25
Loblolly Shelter		25
White Oak Shelter		25
7A Tuscaloosa Archery Park	sign in at FBAC	
Boat-1 Fosters Boat Landing	10	
Fosters Landing Lane, Fosters 35463		
8 A.L. Freeman Park	3	
3001 Dragons Ln., Tuscaloosa 35401		
Spruce Shelter		75
9 Harmon Park	3.4	
2901 Greensboro Ave., Tuscaloosa 35401		
10 Snow Hinton Park	40	
1000 Hargrove Rd. E., Tuscaloosa 35405		
Cherry Shelter		25
Magnolia Shelter		200
Sequoia Shelter		50
11 Hughes Center Ball Fields		
11B McDonald Hughes Community Safe Room	5	1,700
3101 MLK Blvd., Tuscaloosa 35401		
12 Hurricane Creek Park	249	
Hwy 216, Peterson		
Alabama Power Shelter		25
13 Jaycee Park	16	
701 Kicker Rd., Tuscaloosa 35404		
Jaycee Pavilion		300
14 Kaulton Park	9.3	
2929 Pine St., Tuscaloosa 35401		
15 Kentuck Park	38.5	
3401 5th Street, Northport 35476		
Hickory Shelter		75
Sweet Gum Shelter		50
16 McKinney Park	1.4	
1400 19th Street, Tuscaloosa 35401		
17 Miners Community Park	1	
19543 Abernant Loop Road, Abernant		
18 Monnish Park	5.9	
1500 Hackberry Ln., Tuscaloosa 35401		
Dogwood Shelter		35
Oak Shelter		35
19 Montgomery Park	8.71	
Hwy 171 North		
20 Newt Hinton Park	39	
300 Bobby Miller Pkwy., Tuscaloosa 35405		
21 Northside Park	3	
19325 Northside Pkwy, Northport 35475		

PARA Properties

	Acres	Capacity
22 Burrell Odom Park 3230 8th Street, Tuscaloosa 35401	2.1	
23 Palmore Park 3701 Fosters Ferry Rd., Tuscaloosa 35401	215	
Mimosa Shelter		75
Red Bud Shelter		100
Walnut Shelter		75
23A Harrison Taylor Splash Pad		
24 Queen City Park Queen City Avenue, Tuscaloosa 35401	11.9	
China Fir Shelter		10
25 River Road Park 1600 Jack Warner Pkwy., Tuscaloosa 35401	5	
Birch Shelter		50
Cypress Shelter		50
Boat-2 Riverview Boat Landing Black Warrior River, Tuscaloosa 35401	5	
26 Rock Quarry Park Boat Landing 2300 New Watermelon Rd., Tuscaloosa 35406	46.5	
Cedar Shelter		50
27 Rosedale Park 3000 Greensboro Ave., Tuscaloosa 35401	5.8	
28 Sexton Park Sexton Bend Road, Tuscaloosa 35401	18	
29 Springbrook Park 500 Springbrook Circle, Tuscaloosa 35405	1	
30A Munny Sokol Park-South 5901 Watermelon Rd., Northport 35473	325	
Willow Shelter		75
30a Will May Dog Park Ray C. Jenkins Multipurpose Arena 6025 Watermelon Rd., Northport 35473		
30B Munny Sokol Park-North 6198 Watermelon Rd., Northport 35473		
Box Elder Shelter		75
30b E.C. "Buddy" Powell Pavilion 4205 Northridge Rd., Tuscaloosa 35406		300
31 Van de Graaff Arboretum & Historic Bridge 3231 Robert Cardinal Airport Rd., Northport 35476	148	
32 Veterans Memorial Park 1701 McFarland Blvd. E., Tuscaloosa 35404	0.2	
33 YMCA Park 2300 13th Street, Tuscaloosa	0.1	
1 Jerry Belk Activity Center 2101 Bowers Park Dr., Tuscaloosa 35405		
2 Faucett Brothers Activity Center 13040 Eugenia Faucett Drive, Northport, AL 35473		
3 McDonald Hughes Community Center 3101 MLK Blvd., Tuscaloosa 35401	10	
4 Leroy McAbee, Sr. Activity Center 3801 Loop Rd., Tuscaloosa 35405	7	
5 Bobby Miller Activity Center 300 Bobby Miller Pkwy., Tuscaloosa 35405		
6 Mary Ann Phelps Activity Center 2200 Rock Quarry Dr., Tuscaloosa 35406	42	
7 Jerry Tingle Activity Center 71973 Hwy 216, McCalla 35111	18	
1 Northport Community Center 2100 Park Street, Northport 35476	4.5	150
2 Ol' Colony Golf Complex 401 Old Colony Road, Tuscaloosa 35406	597	
3 Tuscaloosa Tennis Center 715 21st Avenue, Tuscaloosa 35404	6	
4 PARA Building/BAMA Theatre 614 Greensboro Avenue, Tuscaloosa 35401	1	
Total Acreage	2226.61	

ACTIVITY CENTERS

FACILITIES/BUILDINGS

PARA is Alabama Recreation and Park Association 2020 Agency of the Year



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