

Unnamed Park 23

The primary intent for Unnamed Park 23 is to provide water access to McCabe Lake and the Sackville River.

Site Suitability and Park Considerations

- The park is located at the mouth of the Sackville River with water access on both the river and McCabe Lake. There is a gravel parking lot, trail, and two seating areas overlooking the water.
- The longer distance from the parking lot to the shoreline makes this park less desirable for launching kayaks or canoes.
- Much of the eastern portion of the site is a wetland with emergent vegetation along the shoreline making it less suitable for built facilities or water access. The trail network could be expanded with a boardwalk along the shoreline and through the wetland area.
- Access to the river could be improved with a floating dock located near the current seating area.
- The shoreline at the southern tip of the park is rocky with gentle, shallow slopes for wading. Some improvements could make it easier to wade into the water. Swimming could be improved with a small change stall and a floating platform anchored a short distance from the shoreline.
- Any future amenity spaces should avoid the wet areas and be located on higher ground in the west half of the park.

What We Heard

- Respondents are the most interested in further developing the trail network with a boardwalk through the wetland and improving the shoreline for swimming and launching non-motorized watercraft.
- Only 1 in 5 respondents are interested in a trailered boat launch at this location.
- Unnamed Park 23 is currently the most frequently visited park in Indigo Shores. About 1 in 6 respondents said they would visit this park the most often.
- More than a third of respondents feel that a moderate level of park development is appropriate for this park to support a mix of active and passive recreation.

Considering the potential park development, what amenities would you like to see at Unnamed Park 23?

