

Cleveland Metroparks Survey:  
Compiled Write-In Responses

**5. Where did you come from today?**

Friend's home--visiting the area.  
Mom's house  
Coffee shop  
Breakfast  
Breakfast

**7. How did you travel to the park?**

No write-in responses

**9. Of the parks used the most, what is the reason for using this reservation?**

**Activity:**

Biking  
Kids  
Walk dog  
Walking and boating  
Fishing  
Lake  
Walking trail  
Fishing  
Fishing  
Fishing  
Kyaking  
Exercise  
Exercise  
Walking on the path  
Walking Trail  
Fishing  
Walk  
Recreation  
Stairs  
Walk/Bike  
Biking  
Run  
Fish and walk dog  
Trails  
Trails  
Trails  
Try different parks  
Walking

**9. Of the parks used the most, what is the reason for using this reservation? (Cont)**

**Other:**

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Running  
Beautiful  
Fishing; walking  
Meetings

**11. In what activities do you participate at this park?**

Canoe  
Swimming  
Canoe  
Canoe  
Friends of the zoo  
Own knowledge  
Driving  
Cross Country Skiing  
Weights / strength training  
Picnics  
Seeing Nature Center; Facilities for Kids; Artshows  
Cross country skiing  
Kayaking , dog park  
Kayaking  
Swimming  
Zoo  
Picnic

**12. In what activities do you participate at other reservations?**

Chalet  
Picnics  
Picnics & other play  
Meetings  
Cross country skiing

**13. What facilities do you use?**

Marina  
Water/Streams/River  
Streams/Rivers  
Bathrooms  
Restrooms  
Restrooms  
Fitness course

**15. What are your sources for Cleveland Metroparks information?**

Familiarity  
Dog Park

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West Side Leader  
West side leader  
Magazine  
Park website  
Phone  
None  
Phone  
Friends  
Friends

**16. Are there any recreational or open space opportunities/facilities you would like to see in the park?**

Soccer, basketball  
Soccer  
Yoga  
Got it all  
Dog park  
Frisbee, golf  
Café at boat house  
Less expensive to rent boatd, canoes  
Nice playground  
More land  
More Kyaking  
Public information sent to home w/seasonal events of all parks.  
Concessions and concert pavillion  
Bait Shop & theatre  
Bait shop. Live concerts and movie presentations.  
Bait shop  
I feel all Metroparks should offer a Dog Park.  
More child activity/play areas.  
More exercise equipment - like what they have in Solon  
Swimming pool  
More exercise equipment. Improve the landscaping (plant flowers)  
Bathrooms with running water. Does not like outhouses  
Fewer Fishermen/More Fish  
Satisfied w/ current uses  
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Mountain Bike accecible trails; kayak/canoe facilities; rollerblade rental  
More canoeing/Less noise-fewer cars/Separate trail for bikes  
Son used to have volleyball games here  
Acquire more land/Expand  
Better playgrounds, amount and quantity  
Dog park

**16. Are there any recreational or open space opportunities /facilities you would like to see in the park? (Cont)**

Dog park  
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Frisbee, golf, ziplines  
More playgrounds  
More open space  
Better water access for hand powered boats  
Better water access for hand powered boats  
More benches, picnic tables and swings  
More benches and picnic areas  
Equipmental rental on-site  
Boat rentals (canoes, kayaks, etc.)  
Paddle boats  
Paddle boats  
Clean up dog poop  
More Benches  
More Trails, Lake  
Interest groups  
Cleveland Metroparks should take over lakefront  
Keep trails clear  
More picnic shelters  
Cleanup dog, patrol enforcement  
Dog cleanup  
Cleanup dog, more information  
Better bathrooms  
More playgrounds, better maintenance  
Basketball, horseshoes  
Sledding hill  
Mountain biking  
Better trail maintenance  
Wants more golf  
Wants more golf  
Need clean up  
Pool  
Tennis court  
Fine so far  
Good  
Fishing  
Perfect  
Clean up  
Basketball court  
Clean up

**17. Are there any educational programs you would like to see in the park?**

Photography  
Movies  
Nature walks with schools

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Educational/Information boards

Not sure.

Sports Clinic

More funding toward Nature Center and more trail tours.

More programs for children

No

More Nature Programs/Animal Displays

Satisfied w/ current Uses

Leave no trace ethics; beekeeping; native plants; growing our own food; bird feeding;  
landscaping

Summer programs

Summer programs

No

Tai-chi

Free day camp during summer

Visitors' Center where you can feed animals; nature

Visitors' Center to feed animals; showcase nature

More buzzards

Conservation

Nature center, night hikes

Program on how to be responsible for your dog

Kids' kiking

Children's environmental education programs

Golf

Kids program

Toddler

Golf

Fishing

**37. Race**

Mediterranean

**38. Is there anything else you would like to tell us about the Cleveland Metroparks?**

Art, coffee shop

Fishing classes

Dog park

Maps

Maps

Has everything; people come from all over to use.

More dog pick up stations

Don't leave

Metroparks do a fine job

**38. Is there anything else you would like to tell us about the Cleveland Metroparks? (Cont)**

Keep them safe and clean

Nice, close get-away

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Enjoyed it since a child  
Wonderful  
All purpose trails wonderful  
Would like to see more concessions.  
More Kyaking and private boat storage.  
Love the nature, but need more activities, very relaxing. In comparison, Chinese parks offer more color with flowers. However, too many people to really enjoy.  
Metroparks is vital to the region. Great resource.  
Very relaxing  
A beautiful place.  
Like the natural areas, whereas, no building has taken place.  
More promotion of how great the park system is.  
Lower golf prices  
Road down valley to Broadway needs to be improved. Parks are doing a good job -- keep on improving. More beautification efforts  
Enjoys the park on days when it is less congested. Loves coming for recreation and peace of mind  
Enjoys the parks  
More Nature Centers  
Keep up the great work and keep expanding. Key really are one of the best parts of living in Cleveland.  
Love the parks  
More Food Concessions

Keep water clean/limit construction/must keep reservation/Nice as the Grand Canyon  
Bathrooms close too early  
All in all okay  
Cleanliness  
Keep the parks  
Restroom and drinking fountain access could be more timely  
Great resource  
Need better bathroom signs  
Deer hunting  
Love kayaking, trails, and better water access  
More kayaking and better water access  
More trash cans  
Don't lock the bathrooms  
Focus on preserving the natural environment  
Opportunity to rent equipment (boats, bikes, etc)  
More boat rentals  
More benches to sit and observe  
More bathrooms  
Keep 'em as is  
Leave 'em as is  
People need to clean up dog doo  
Better access to the falls  
Water safety educ.

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Partner with diving community

**38. Is there anything else you would like to tell us about the Cleveland Metroparks? (Cont)**

Love it, lucky to have parks

Parks remain independent, not part of city/state, more education

Marking trails, advertise parks more

Like park

Owens a golf course and does not want to pay taxes that support the metroparks golf courses

Good

Great

Couldn't live without it

Used to be pretty. Needs clean up

Nice place