

M CPRSS 2022-23

FACILITIES SPOTLIGHT

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WHAT IS MCPRSS?

The Municipal and County Parks and Recreation Services Study (MCPRSS) annually assesses the status of local government parks and recreation departments in NC based on a number of rotating metrics.



ABOUT

- 73rd year of assessment for municipal leisure service providers
- 53rd year for county leisure service providers
- Conducted yearly by NCSU Recreation Resources Service

GOALS

- Understand the recreation landscape of NC
- Provide data to help park leadership with decision making

AREAS OF STUDY

- Indoor/outdoor facilities
- Trail usage types/miles
- Full-time staff
- State budget data for recreation expenditures and revenues

REPRESENTATION

53% response rate

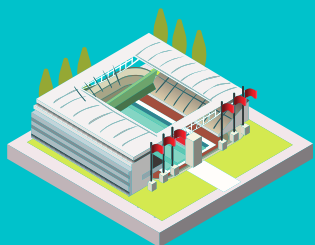
- 253 county, municipal, and combination departments surveyed
- 133 usable responses recorded

TOP FIVE

Indoor Active Facilities: Rentable Spaces / Rooms, Tennis Courts, Basketball Courts, Pickleball Courts, Gymnasiums

Outdoor Active Facilities: Tennis Courts, Diamond Fields (Baseball/Softball), Playgrounds (5-12 years old), Rectangular Fields Regulation (e.g., soccer/football/lacrosse), Pickleball Courts

Between **40-50%** of all respondents indicated the presence of an amphitheater, a fishing pier, or an inclusive playground



68-92%

of respondents indicated the presence of restrooms and concession stands, which aligns with high representation of athletic fields

TOTAL TRAIL MILES

1,474

TOTAL PARK ACRES

84,874

2021-22 Annual Financial Information Report

Parks and Recreation Expenditures

\$823 Million
 (\$83/Resident)

Parks and Recreation Revenues

\$109 Million
 (\$11/Resident)

Spending is up from \$81/resident in 2020-21