3.1 City Parks

Name: Congress Avenue Tot Lot

Classification: Mini Park

Address: | 1410 Beech St

Location: Located along Congress
Avenue just north of the
Congress Avenue Athletic

Fields.

Size: 0.44 acres

Parcel/s #: 91203980200

Amenities: Playground Equipment

Benches







Name:

Garden Club Park

Classification:

Mini Park

Address:

310 Mason St

Location:

Located on the southern side of Oshkosh, south of Witzel Ave and west of Sawyer St.

Size:

0.35 acres

Parcel/s #:

- Historical Interest
- Benches







Name: | William Waters Plaza

Classification: Mini Park

Address: | 105 Washington Ave

Location: Located at the intersection of State St and Washington Ave, across from the Oshkosh Public

Library.

Size: 0.18 acres

Parcel/s #:

Amenities:

Historical Interest

Benches

Tables







Name: 44th Parallel Park

Classification: Neighborhood Park

Address: 2230 Allerton Dr

Location: Located on the southwest side of Oshkosh, north of W 12th

Ave.

Size: 4.90 acres

Parcel/s #: 91316400100

Amenities: • Open Space

Playground Equipment

Baseball/Softball Field

Tennis Courts (2 courts)

Benches

Picnic Tables

Open Air Shelter







Name: Abbey Park

Classification: Neighborhood Park

Address: 700 South Westhaven Dr

Location: Located on the southwest side of Oshkosh, along South

Westhaven Drive.

Size: 9.01 acres

Parcel/s #: 90615460000 90615460100

Amenities: • Creek

Natural Area

Playground Equipment

Trails (unpaved)

Benches

Picnic Tables

Open Air Shelter







Name:

Abe Rochlin Park

Classification:

Neighborhood Park

Address:

1300 N Sawyer St

Location:

Located in the north-central part of Oshkosh next to the Oshkosh Avenue Bridge.

Size:

5.16 acres

Parcel/s #:

91600260000

Amenities:

- Fox River and Sawyer Creek
- Playground Equipment
- Trails (paved)
- Fishing
- Historical Interest
- Off-Street Parking
- Restroom
- Picnic Tables
- Shelter

Historical Note:

Abraham Rochlin's (1917-1975) company, one of the nation's leading manufacturers of plywood, purchased the Pluswood Division of Lullabye Furniture Company of Stevens Point, located on this site, in 1949. In 1987 the land was donated for a park named after Abe Rochlin. The wooden buildings were razed, but a smokestack from Wisconsin's first sawmill, built in 1847 by E.E. Foreman and Coles Bashford, was preserved.





Name: Baumann Park

Classification: Neighborhood Park

Address: | 1010 Fillmore Ave

Location: Located along the Fox River, just south of Rochlin Park and

the Oshkosh Avenue Bridge.

Size: 2.02 acres

Parcel/s #: 91604720300

Amenities: ■ Fox River

Playground Equipment

Baseball/Softball

Fishing

Benches

Picnic Tables

Open Air Shelter





Name:

Fugleberg Park

Classification:

Neighborhood Park

Address:

2000 Doty St

Location:

Located on the southeast side of Oshkosh, along South Main Street across from the Fugleberg Boat Launch and Lake Winnebago.

Size:

2.50 acres

Parcel/s #:

91401060100

Amenities:

- Open Space
- Playground Equipment
- Basketball Court
- Benches
- Picnic Tables
- Shelter

Historical Note:

Carl Fugleberg (1881-1959) served as city alderman, police commissioner, and park board member. Carl pledged \$1,500 in 1933 toward its purchase for a park. The city then bought the land from its current owners, heirs of Dr. Edwin Streich. The park was built up with fill from depression-era Works Progress Administration sewer construction.







Name: | Mary Jewell Park

Classification: Neighborhood Park

Address: 1600 Oshkosh Ave

Located south of Lakeshore Park along Oshkosh Ave.

Size: 4.64 acres

Parcel/s #: 91608470701

Historical

Note:

Amenities:

Baseball/Softball Field

Picnic Area

Restrooms

Pavilion

Mary Jewell Park was named for Mary Jewell Sawyer, wife of Edgar Sawyer, a prominent businessman and philanthropist. Active in Oshkosh cultural circles, she passed away in 1910.







Name:

Park Site A

Classification:

Neighborhood Park

Address:

W. Ripple Ave

Location:

Located on the south side of the city, just east of Oregon St.

Size:

3.5 acres

Parcel/s #:

91411230200

Amenities:

Open Space



Name:

Pickart Park

Classification:

Neighborhood Park

Address:

Mary's Dr

Location:

Located in the Pickart Estates subdivision, on the west side of the city, just north of W 9th Ave.

Size:

1.51 acres

Parcel/s #:

90665020104

Amenities:

Open Space







Name:

Quarry Park

Classification:

Neighborhood Park

Address:

925 Florida Ave

Location:

Located on the south side of the city near Knapp Street.

Size:

8.02 acres

Parcel/s #:

91307010000

Amenities:

Open Space

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Soccer Fields

Historical Note:

Quarry Park consists of property from three adjacent quarries dating back to the 19th century.

William Faber's Oshkosh Stone Company, 50 feet deep, was the last quarry to close in 1954. The city bought or leased most of the land for sanitary landfills by 1962. The three landfills were filled by 1968 and plans were made for grading, fencing and adding park facilities.





Name:

Roe Park

Classification:

Neighborhood Park

Address:

300 Washington Ave

Location:

Located on the east side of Oshkosh along Washington

Avenue.

Size:

1.65 acres

Parcel/s #:

90400110000

Amenities:

- Playground Equipment
- Trails (paved)
- Benches

Historical Note:

Gilbert Wheeler Roe (1833-1903) was a prominent Oshkosh banker. His children purchased land in 1909 from the original homestead and donated it for a public park named for their father. Mayor Voss designated it the city's first "inner" park and suggested it become the city's first park playground. Additional land was purchased in 1927 for park expansion.





Name:

Stevens Park

Classification:

Neighborhood Park

Address:

44 Frankfort St

Location:

Located on the east side of Oshkosh, north of Bay Shore

Drive.

Size:

4.85 acres

Parcel/s #:

90804060000

Amenities:

- Open Space
- Playground Equipment
- Trails (paved)
- Baseball/Softball Field
- Basketball Court
- Tennis (1 court)
- Community Gardens
- Benches
- Picnic Tables
- Restrooms
- Shelters

Historical Note:

Ephraim E. Stevens (1851-1907) was mayor of Oshkosh 1889-1890, state senator 1904-1905 and a local architect. He was supervising architect of several schools, including Merrill and Oshkosh High. Known as the "parks mayor" he convinced the council to buy South Park and Menominee Park. This park was dedicated to Stevens in 1974.









Name:

Stoegbauer Park

Classification:

Neighborhood Park

Address:

745 W 6th Ave

Location:

Located in the south-central part of Oshkosh along W 6th Avenue.

Size:

1.87 acres

Parcel/s #:

90602140000

Amenities:

- Playground Equipment
- Baseball/Softball Field
- Basketball Court
- Historical Interest
- Benches



Otto J. Stoegbauer (1890-1959) served as Sixth Ward alderman for 18 years and vice mayor for a year. He was a well known local baseball umpire, nicknamed "the peacemaker" for mediating disagreements among city officials, citizens and industry. Stoegbauer Park was once the old Franklin School site across the street from where Stoegbauer lived for most of his life. He was also the school's athletic director from 1927 to 1945.





Name:

Teichmiller Park

Classification:

Neighborhood Park

Address:

2300 Crane St

Location:

Located in the northern part of the city, just west of Oshkosh North High School.

Size:

5.59 acres

Parcel/s #:

91219620100

Amenities:

- Playground Equipment
- Baseball/Softball Field
- Batting Cage
- Basketball Court
- Tennis (2 courts)
- Historical Interest
- Drinking Water
- Restrooms

Historical Note:

Algoma Park was renamed in 1994 for Bernice "Bea"
Teichmiller (1917-1987), a long-time civic leader and member of the Oshkosh Common Council from 1972 to 1986. The council dedicated the park in her name to honor her efforts to ensure land or fees were set aside for parkland when land was subdivided or annexed. Today this is standard policy. The park was created in 1974.









Name:

West Algoma Park

Classification:

Neighborhood Park

Address:

1320 Punhoqua St

Location:

Located along Oshkosh Ave and the banks of Sawyer Creek.

Size:

1.8 acres

Parcel/s #:

91600090000

Amenities:

- Sawyer Creek
- Open Space
- Playground Equipment
- Fishing
- Historical Interest
- Picnic Tables
- Open Air Shelter

Historical Note:

This park was officially named West Algoma Park in 1938. It was once called Mary Jewell Park, built on land donated by Edgar Sawyer in 1916 in memory of his wife who died in 1910. Sawyer agreed to allow a school here in 1919 in exchange for a park named Mary Jewell across the street on land formerly owned by the Jewell family. The school was never built and to clear up confusion about two parks called Mary Jewell, this one was declared West Algoma, the name people called the area before it was annexed.





Name: V

Westhaven Circle Park

Classification:

Neighborhood Park

Address:

1625 South Westhaven Dr

Location:

Located in the southwest part of the city, just south of Newport

Avenue.

Size:

6.59 acres

Parcel/s #:

91315810000

- Open Space
- Playground Equipment
- Baseball/Softball
- Soccer
- Basketball Court
- Pickleball (2 courts)
- Tennis (1 court)
- Sledding Hill
- Benches
- Drinking Water
- Restrooms











Name: Lakeshore Park

Classification: Community Park

Address: 2175 Punhoqua St

Location: Located in the northwestern part of the city along the Fox River,

north of Oshkosh Ave.

Size: | 69.63 acres

Parcel/s #: 91608470701

Amenities ■ Fox River

Open Space

Paved Trails

Fishing

Benches

Drinking Water

Off-Street Parking

Picnic Areas

Restrooms

4-Seasons Building





Name:

Menominee Park

Classification:

Community Park

Address:

Hazel St and Merritt Ave

Location:

Located on the northeast side of the city, along the shores of Lake Winnebago.

Size:

103.39 acres

Parcel/s #:

91110350000 91511870000

Amenities:

- Lake Winnebago
- Open Space
- Playground Equipment
- Trails (paved)
- Baseball/Softball
- Soccer
- Volleyball
- Basketball Court
- Tennis (3 courts) n
- Pickleball (4 courts)
- Boat Launch
- Fishing Dock
- Ice Skating
- Amusement Rides
- Historical Interest
- Zoo
- Off-Street Parking
- Picnic Areas
- Restrooms
- Shelters/Pavilions

Historical Note:

Originally called North Park, the park was renamed in 1911 when Colonel John Hicks gave the city the statue of Menominee Chief Oshkosh.









Name: **Rainbow Memorial Park**

Classification: **Community Park**

> Address: 1650 Rainbow Dr

Location: Located along the south side of the Fox River, just northwest of

the Oshkosh Ave bridge.

Size: 17.05 acres

Parcel/s #: 91601320000 91601320100

Amenities: Fox River

Open Space

Playground Equipment

Trails (paved)

Baseball/Softball

Boat Launch

Fishing Dock

Historical Interest

Benches

Off-Street Parking

Picnic Area

Restrooms

Shelter/Pavilion

Historical Rainbow Memorial Park was Note: dedicated in 1957 to the who served with the 42nd (Rainbow) Division in World

memory of Oshkosh soldiers War I.







Name:

Red Arrow Park

Classification:

Community Park

Address:

613 North Eagle St

Location:

Situated along Sawyer Creek, in the south-central part of the city, just north of Taft Ave.

Size:

26.6 acres

Parcel/s #:

91608690000

Amenities:

- Sawyer Creek
- Open Space
- Playground Equipment
- Baseball/Softball (3 fields)
- Disc Golf
- Fishing
- Sledding
- Water Park
- Historical Interest
- Skate Park
- Off-Street Parking
- Picnic Area
- Restrooms

Historical Note:

In 1962, the Red Arrow Veterans Club urged the city to designate a 32-acre park to honor the men of the 32nd (Red Arrow) Division of the US National Guard. The 32nd was made up of units from Wisconsin and Michigan who fought in both world wars









Name:

South Park

Classification:

Community Park

Address:

1300 Georgia St

Location:

Located on the south side of the city, along W South Park Ave.

Size:

23.68 acres

Parcel/s #:

91305740000

Amenities:

- Lagoons
- Open Space
- Playground Equipment
- Trails (paved)
- Horseshoes
- Basketball Court
- Pickleball (4 courts)
- Tennis (2 courts)
- Fishing
- Historical Interest
- Splash Pad
- Benches
- Off-Street Parking
- Picnic Areas
- Restrooms
- Shelters/Pavilions

Historical Note:

Mayor Ephraim Stevens convinced the council to buy part of the homestead of Dr. Samuel Osborn in 1889 for a south side park to complement park land purchased on the north side of the Fox River. An attempt to rename South Park in 1934 was unsuccessful.









Name: 24th

24th Avenue Boat Launch

Classification:

Waterfront Recreation

Address:

2404 S Main St

Location:

Located on the southeast side of the city, across from Glatz Nature Preserve.

Size:

1.68 acres

Parcel/s #:

91413370000

- Lake Winnebago
- Boat Launch
- Fishing
- Benches
- Off-Street Parking
- Picnic Area
- Restrooms







Name: Al Broullire Memorial Garden

Classification: Waterfront Recreation

Address: 500 South Main St

Location: Located along the Fox River, southeast of the S Main Street

bridge.

Size: 0.14 acres

Parcel/s #: 90301330100

Amenities: ■ Fox River

Fishing

Riverwalk



Name:

Boatworks

Classification:

Waterfront Recreation

Address:

362 Michigan St

Location:

Located in the south-central part of the city, along the Fox River between the Jackson St and Wisconsin St bridges.

Size:

5.00 acres

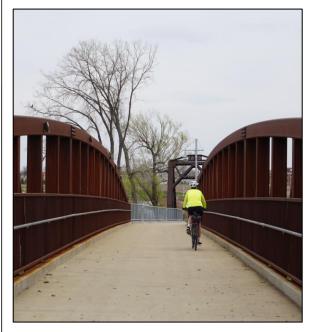
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- Fox River
- Open Space
- Trails (paved)
- Kayak/Canoe Launch
- Fishing Dock
- Off-Street Parking
- Picnic Area
- Restroom
- Shelter/Pavilion







Name: Bowen Street Fishing Dock

Classification: Waterfront Recreation

Address: 1 Bowen St

Location:

Located at the junction of the
Fox River and Lake Winnebago
on the east-central side of the

city.

Size: 0.33 acres

Parcel/s #:

Amenities:

Lake Winnebago

Fishing



Name: | Carl E. Steiger Park

Classification: Waterfront Recreation

Address: 19 Wisconsin St

Location: Located along the riverfront and the Wisconsin Street bridge; across from William A Steiger

Park.

Size: 2.43 acres

Parcel/s #: | 90103660100

Amenities: ■ Fox River

Open SpaceTrails (payed)

Trails (paved)

Fishing

Historical Interest

Picnic Area

Open Air Shelter

Historical 7

The city dedicated this park in 1985 to Carl Steiger (1896-1985), an Oshkosh civic leader and president of Deltox Rug Company from 1929 until it closed in 1968. The city razed several Deltox buildings to create the park. Deltox was founded as Oshkosh Grass Matting Company and in the early 1900s manufactured rugs and twine from tough marsh grass in area wetlands.



Name: Fugleberg Boat Launch

Classification: Waterfront Recreation

Address: 1942 S Main St.

Location: Located in the southeast section

of the city, across from

Fugleberg Park.

Size: 2.4 acres

Parcel/s #: 91401060000

Amenities: Lake Winnebago

Boat Launch

Fishing

Off-Street Parking

Restrooms





Name: N

Michigan Street Fishing Dock

Classification:

Waterfront Recreation

Address:

362 Michigan St.

Location:

Located next to Boatworks, along the Fox River.

Size:

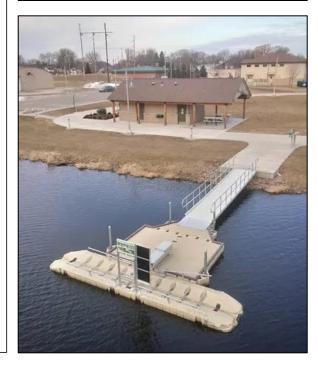
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Parcel/s #:

- Fox River
- Fishing
- Off-Street Parking







Name:

Mill Street Boat Launch

Classification:

Waterfront Recreation

Address:

1 Mill St

Location:

Located along the Fox River, south of Bay Shore Dr.

Size:

0.08 acres

Parcel/s #:

- Fox River
- Boat Launch





Name: | Riverside Park

Classification: Waterfront Recreation

Address: | 101 Ceape Ave

Located on the north side of the Fox River in the east-central part of the city next to Leach Amphitheater and the S Main St

bridge.

Size: 2.03 acres

Parcel/s #: 90824342001 90824342002

Amenities: • Fox River

Open Space

Trails (paved)

Riverwalk

Fishing

Historical Interest

Off-Street Parking

Gazebo

Note: Mayor John Voss referred to this spot as "Riverside Park" in 1910. The Park Board liked and approved the name.

.,The land had been donated in 1909 by lumberman William Bray in memory of his parents. Bray served in the Wisconsin Assembly in 1909 and was state senator 1915-1917.







Name:

William A. Steiger Park

Classification:

Waterfront Recreation

Address:

200 N Campbell Rd

Location:

Located on the south shore of the Fox River, next to the Oshkosh Senior Center.

Size:

2.52 acres

Parcel/s #:

90608010000

Amenities:

- Fox River
- Trails (paved)
- Boat Launch
- Fishing Dock
- Historical Interest
- Open Air Shelter

Historical Note:

William Steiger (1938-1978) represented the Sixth Congressional District from 1967 to 1978. Steiger obtained a federal

grant in 1978 to help purchase the land that became Steiger Park in 1982. The area has long been a favorite fishing spot, once crowded with fishing shanties. Part of the old railroad bridge was preserved as a fishing dock for people with disabilities.









Name:

Hiker Monument

Classification:

Special Use Park

Address:

1401 Algoma Blvd

Location:

Located at the intersection of Congress Ave, Algoma Ave,

and High Ave.

Size:

1.12 acres

Parcel/s #:

91200140000

Amenities:

- Nature Area
- Trails (unpaved)
- Historical Interest

Historical Note:

Monument to Spanish-American War Veterans



Name:

Leach Amphitheater

Classification:

Special Use Park

Address:

300 Ceape Ave

Location:

Located in the east-central part of the city, along the Fox River, between the S. Main St bridge and the railroad tracks.

Size:

8.00 acres

Parcel/s #:

90800210000

- Fox River
- Open Space
- Trails (paved)
- Off-Street Parking
- Riverwalk
- Performance Stage
- Restrooms
- Concession Stands
- Storage Shed









Name: Opera House Square

Classification: Special Use Park

Address: 315 N Main St

Location: Located in the downtown area,

along Main St.

Size: 1.01 acres

Parcel/s #: 90100010000

Amenities: • Open Space

Historical Interest

Benches







Name: K

Killian G. Spanbauer Field

Classification:

Special Use Park

Address:

713 S Sawyer St

Location:

Located in the south-central part of the city, just north of W 9th Ave, near Franklin Elementary School.

Size:

2.77 acres

Parcel/s #:

90606820000

Amenities:

- Softball Field
- Historical Interest
- Benches
- Off-Street Parking

Historical Note:

The South Side Lighted Diamond was renamed in 1989 to honor Killian G. Spanbauer (1927-1987), a local athlete, businessman and civic leader. The property had been a public baseball diamond since the 1940s. Spanbauer served on the Oshkosh City Council 1985 -1987 and was president of Athlete's Foot of Wisconsin. Inc. He was founder of the Club 13 softball club and the Wisconsin Flyers basketball team.







Name:

Campbell Creek Marsh

Classification:

Natural Resource Area

Location:

Located in the parcel bounded by Witzel, North Campbell Road, Josslyn Street and Taft

Avenue.

Size:

26.5 acres

Amenities:

Nature Area



Name:

Glatz Nature Park

Classification:

Natural Resource Area

Address:

120 W 25th Ave

Location:

Located on the city's south side, across from 24th Avenue Boat

Launch.

Size:

1.77 acres

Parcel/s #:

91413370400

Amenities:

- Nature Area
- Trails (unpaved)
- Historical Interest

Historical Note:

Glatz Nature Preserve was dedicated on bicentennial day, July 4, 1976, with Glatz family members present. John Glatz and Christian Elser established a brewery on this site in 1869, that eventually turned into the Oshkosh Brewing Company. The brewery was dismantled in 1914, leaving the foundation walls and caverns. In 1976, the city purchased the two acre site for a nature park. With a lot of community assistance, the caverns were cleared out and reinforced, an entrance and trails created, and a fence constructed. Today after years of damage and neglect, only one wall of the brewery remains- the oldest surviving brewing structure in the city.







Name:

North High Conservancy

Classification:

Natural Resource Area

Address:

1200 Morgan Ave

Location:

Located in the north part of the city, adjacent to Oshkosh North

High School.

Size:

12.19 acres

Parcel/s #:

91219400100

- Retention Pond
- Nature Area
- Trails (unpaved)





Name:

Rusch Park

Classification:

Natural Resource Area

Address:

3200 West 20th Ave

Location:

Located in the southwest part of the city, next to Traeger Middle

School.

Size:

41.27 acres

Parcel/s #:

91333010000

- Boardwalk
- Sawyer Creek
- Nature Area
- Open Space
- Trails (paved and unpaved)





