About Riverside Park...

Riverside Park, one of Grand Rapids largest and most popular parks lies between the Grand River and Monroe Avenue and extends from Knapp Street to North Park Street, an area of 180.95 acres. Most of the land was secured through purchase from the Comstock family in the 1930’s, while 40 of those acres were donated. The park has many attractions and amenities for users to enjoy, including boat launches and dock, picnic shelters, playgrounds, bike trails, regulation baseball and softball diamonds and soccer fields.

Today, Riverside Park offers visitors more than 2.2 miles of hiking trails, waterside paths, vista points, and expansive natural areas, including boat launches and dock, picnic shelters, playgrounds, bike trails, regulation baseball and softball diamonds and soccer fields.

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Tree Identification Tour

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Did you know?

You can find out the annual benefits of trees from www.treebenefits.org a web site that calculates values based on the region of the country, the tree species, and its diameter. You may be surprised to learn how much trees are benefiting you!

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