



CITY OF PLANO

PARKS, RECREATION, TRAILS, AND OPEN SPACE MASTER PLAN UPDATE

City Council Meeting | July 24, 2023

MASTER PLAN UPDATE

PURPOSE

The **Parks, Recreation, Trails, and Open Space Master Plan** is used to guide development and improvement of:

- Parks
- Trails
- Recreation Facilities

The primary purpose of the **2023 Plan Update** is to present and consider updates to:

- Parks, Recreation, Trails, & Open Space Master Plan
- Related Components of the Comprehensive Plan
 - Park Master Plan Map
 - Bicycle Transportation Map



The plan includes a comprehensive assessment of:



Parks & Open Space



Athletic Fields



Trails & Bikeways



Indoor Recreation & Aquatics

The Parks Master Plan is...

- Updated every few years
- Required for accreditation purposes
- Required for grant funding programs
- A long-term action plan providing guidance, establishing goals, and identifying needs
- Not a funding document

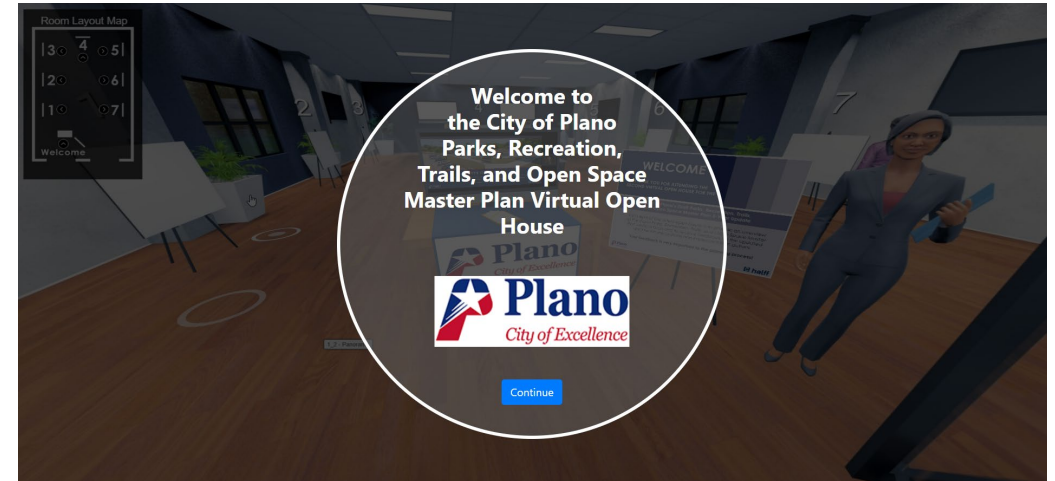
Implementation of all actions within the plan are...

- Made with City Council approval
- Funded through voter-approved bonds

OUTREACH BY THE NUMBERS

2023 Plan Update

- Statistically-Valid Survey: **518 responses**
- Community-Wide Survey: **100 responses**
- Virtual Engagement Room (Visioning): **160 visitors**
- Virtual Engagement Room (Plan Review): **60 visitors**
- Parks & Rec Town Hall Meeting; Earth Day Vendor Fair
- **5** Meetings with Park Board
 - *Park Board recommended approval of plan at the May 2, 2023 meeting*
- P&Z Commission recommended approval of plan at the June 19, 2023 meeting



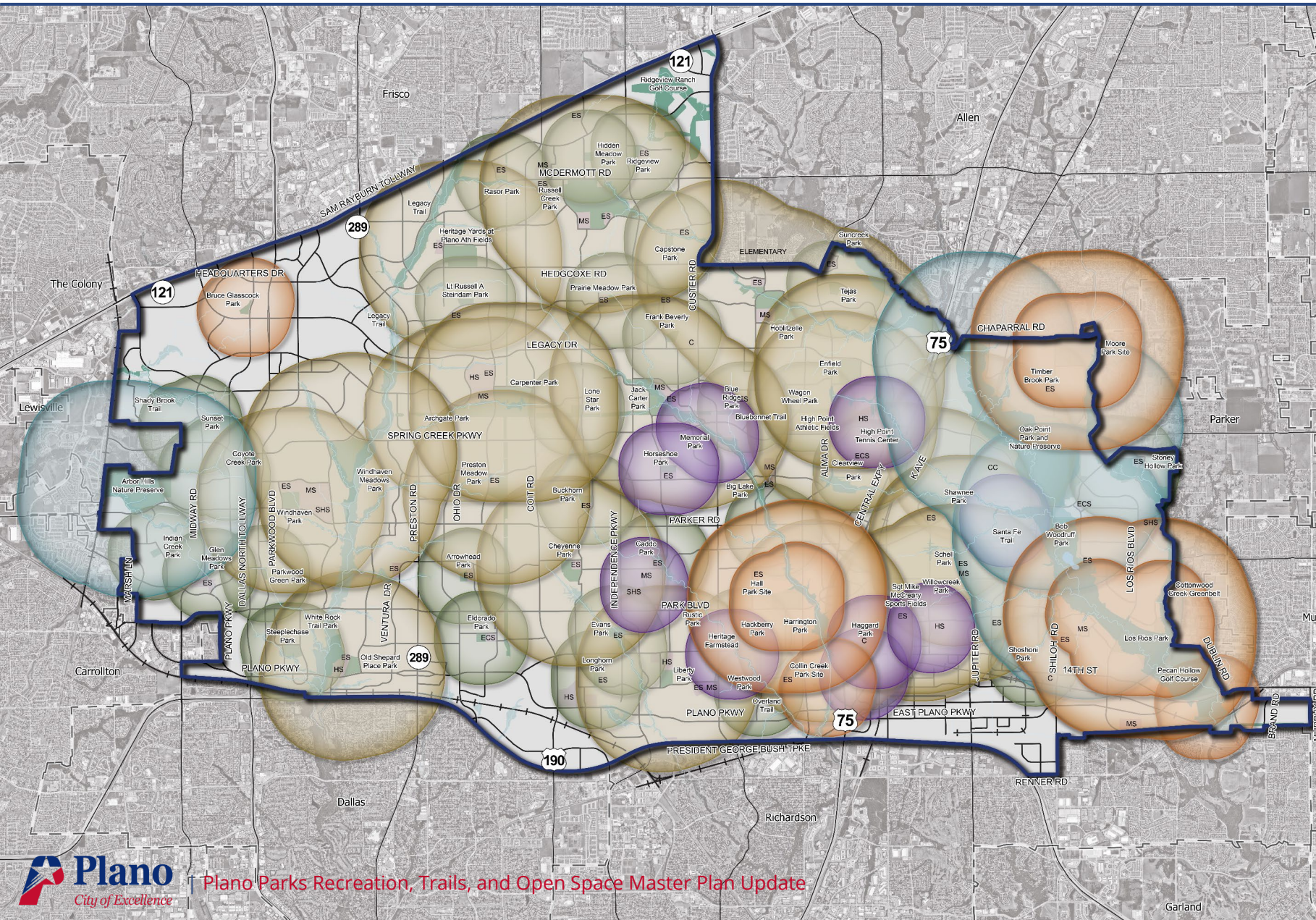
ADVERTISING EFFORTS

2023 Plan Update Notifications

- Parks and Recreation Website
- Stakeholder groups (leagues, athletic groups, education, arts and heritage)
- Social Media Sites (Facebook, Twitter, NextDoor, Instagram)
- Prior Comprehensive Plan participants
- Recreation members
- Crime Watch
- HOAs



PARK SYSTEM SERVICE AREA

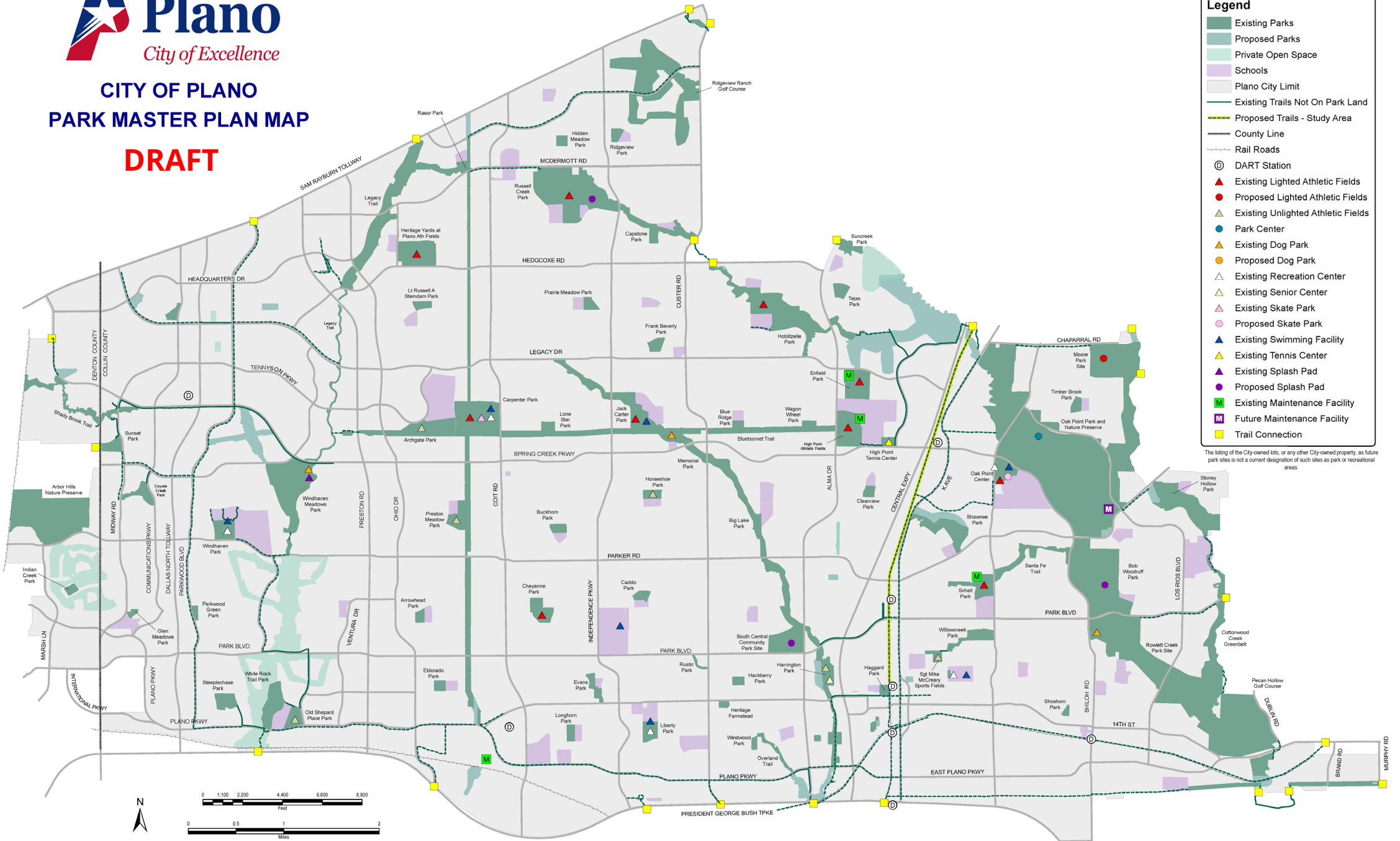


- **80%** of Plano is within a 10-minute walk to a park.
- Today Plano is providing **14.4 acres** per 1,000 residents but **FALLS SHORT** of the City's goal of 15 acres per 1,000 residents (for developed parks only).

LEGEND

- Existing Parks
- Neighborhood Park Service Area (1/2 mile)
- Community Park Service Area (1 mile)
- Special Use Facility Service Area (1/2 mile)
- Open Space Preserve Service Area (1 mile)
- Undeveloped Park Service Area (Varies)

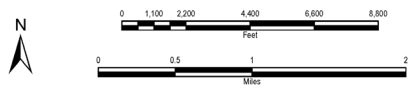
CITY OF PLANO PARK MASTER PLAN MAP DRAFT



Legend

- Existing Parks
- Proposed Parks
- Private Open Space
- Schools
- Plano City Limit
- Existing Trails Not On Park Land
- Proposed Trails - Study Area
- County Line
- Rail Roads
- DART Station
- Existing Lighted Athletic Fields
- Proposed Lighted Athletic Fields
- Existing Unlighted Athletic Fields
- Park Center
- Existing Dog Park
- Proposed Dog Park
- Existing Recreation Center
- Existing Senior Center
- Existing Skate Park
- Proposed Skate Park
- Existing Swimming Facility
- Existing Tennis Center
- Existing Splash Pad
- Proposed Splash Pad
- Existing Maintenance Facility
- Future Maintenance Facility
- Trail Connection

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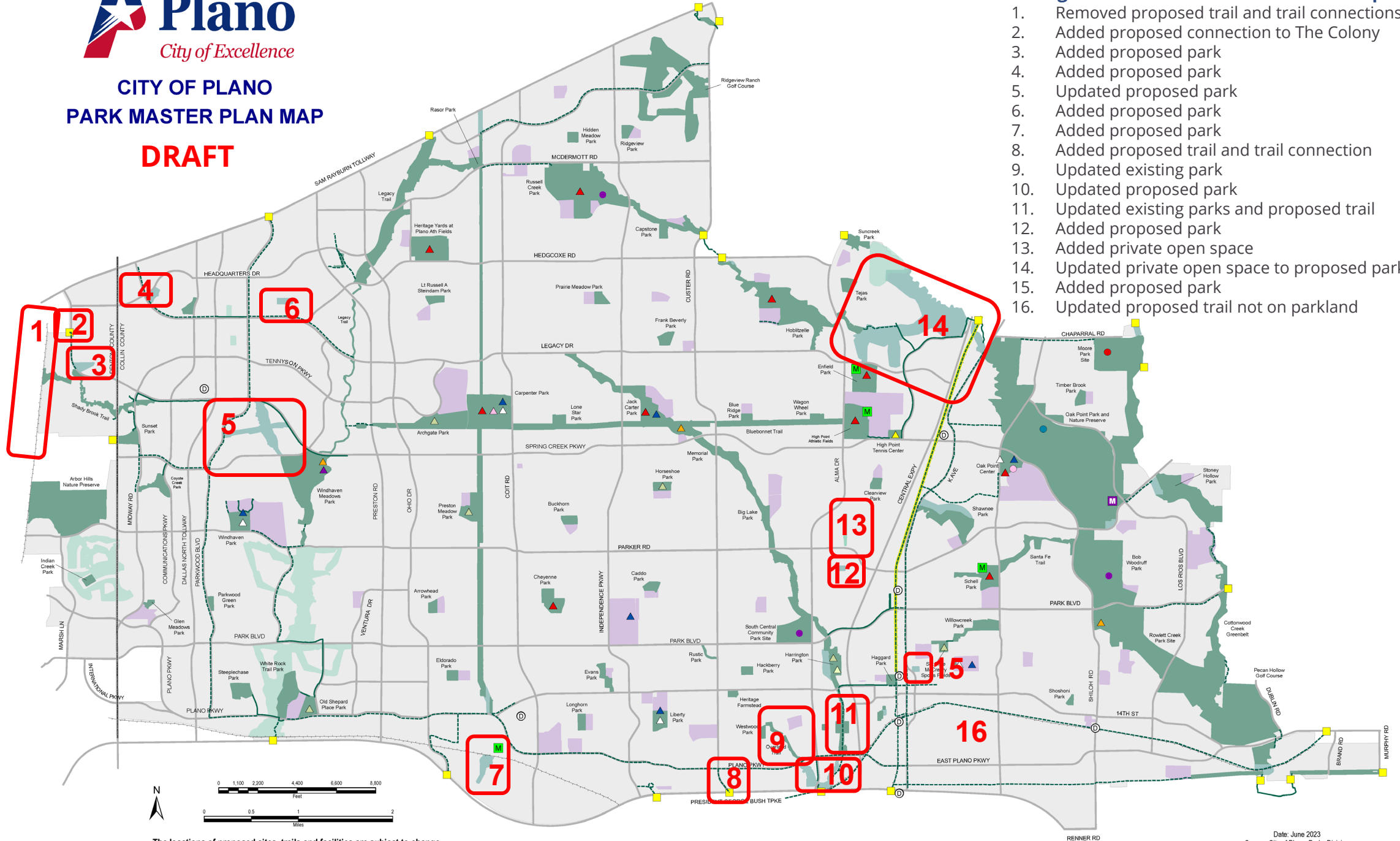


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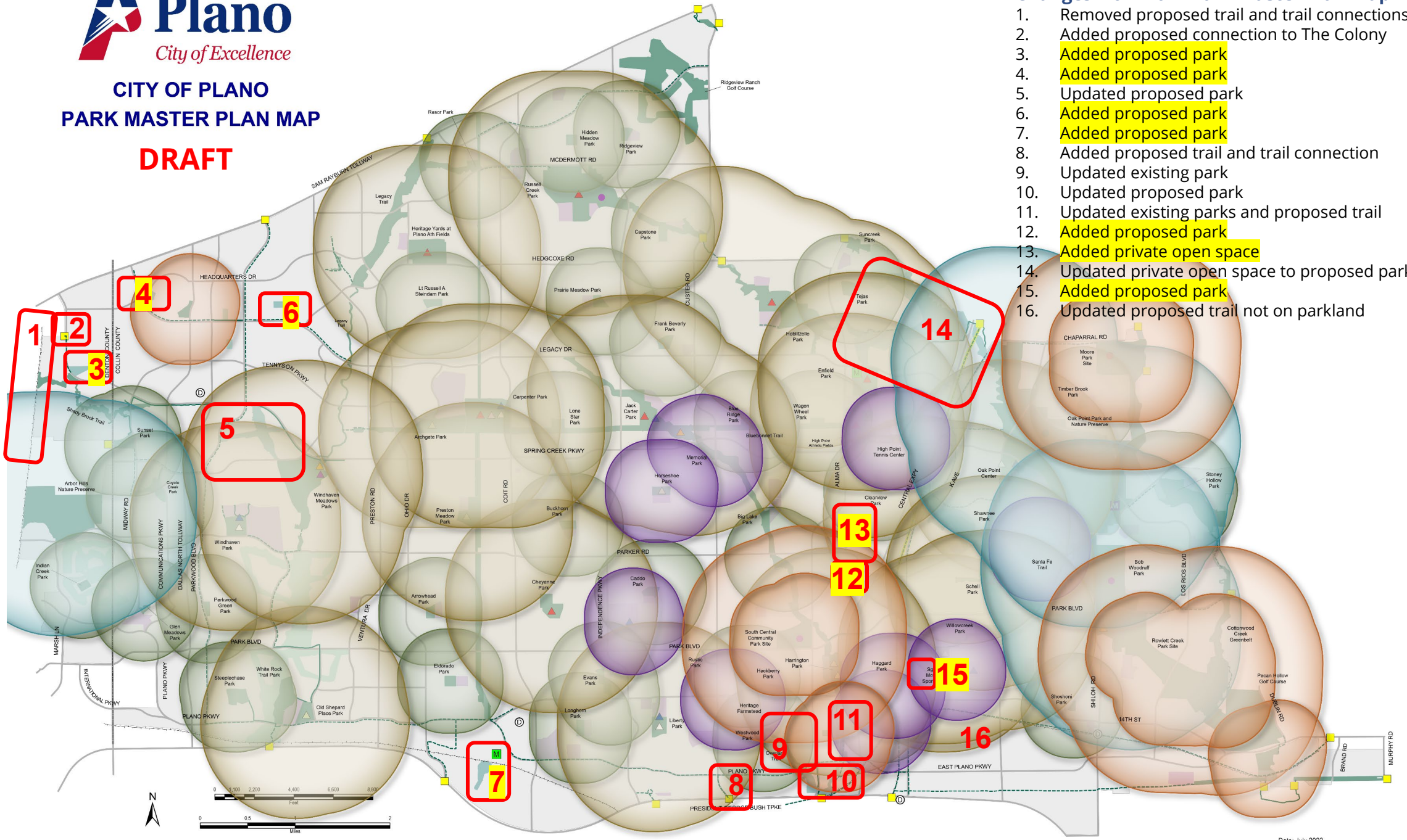
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2. Added proposed connection to The Colony
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9. Updated existing park
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11. Updated existing parks and proposed trail
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13. Added private open space
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16. Updated proposed trail not on parkland



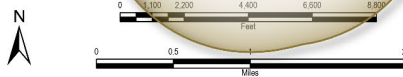
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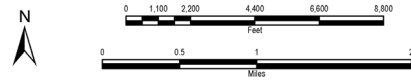
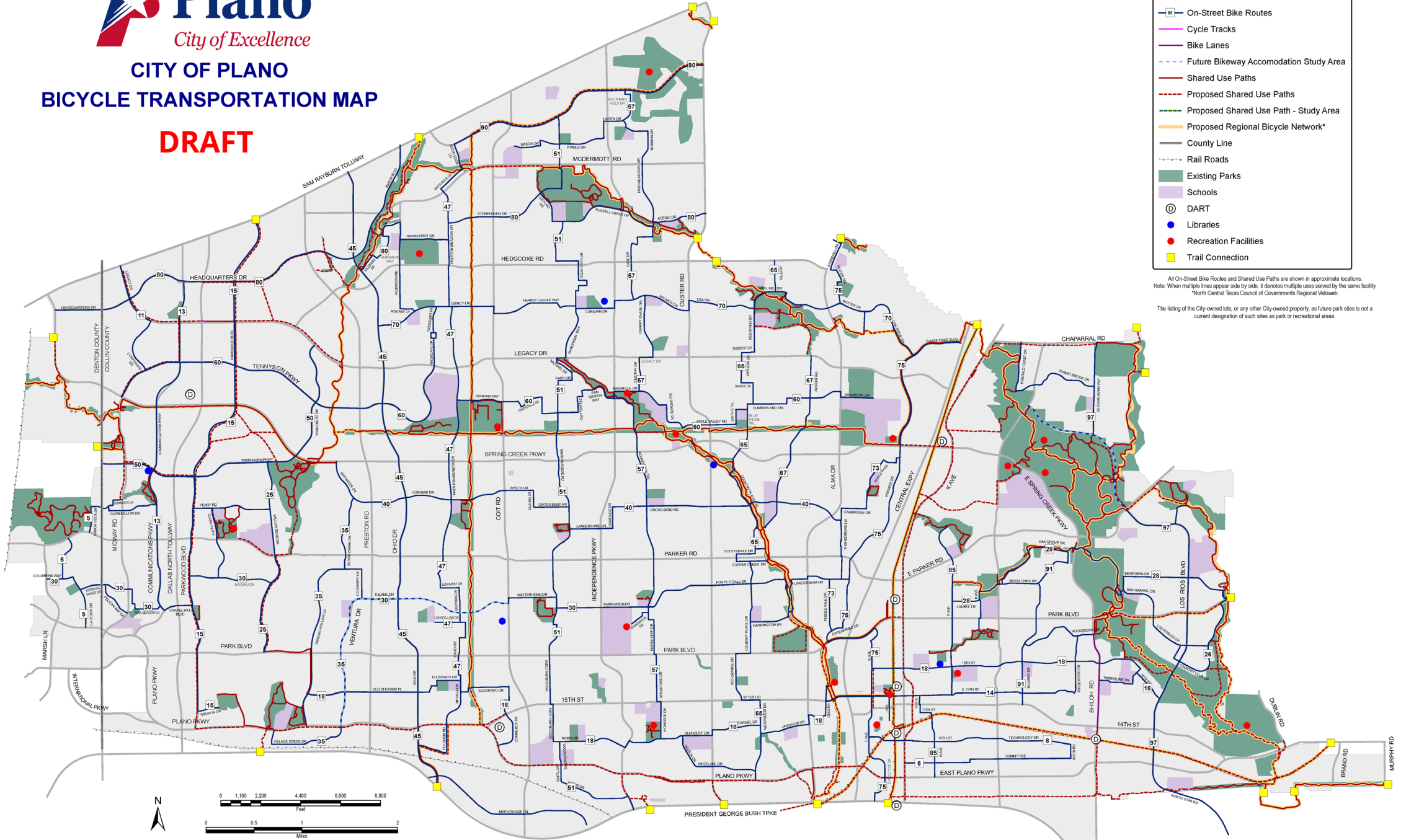
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BICYCLE TRANSPORTATION MAP

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Legend

- On-Street Bike Routes
- Cycle Tracks
- Bike Lanes
- Future Bikeway Accomodation Study Area
- Shared Use Paths
- Proposed Shared Use Paths
- Proposed Shared Use Path - Study Area
- Proposed Regional Bicycle Network*
- County Line
- Rail Roads
- Existing Parks
- Schools
- DART
- Libraries
- Recreation Facilities
- Trail Connection

All On-Street Bike Routes and Shared Use Paths are shown in approximate locations.
 Note: When multiple lines appear side by side, it denotes multiple uses served by the same facility.
 *North Central Texas Council of Governments Regional Veloweb.
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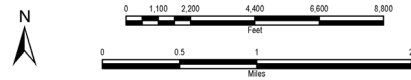
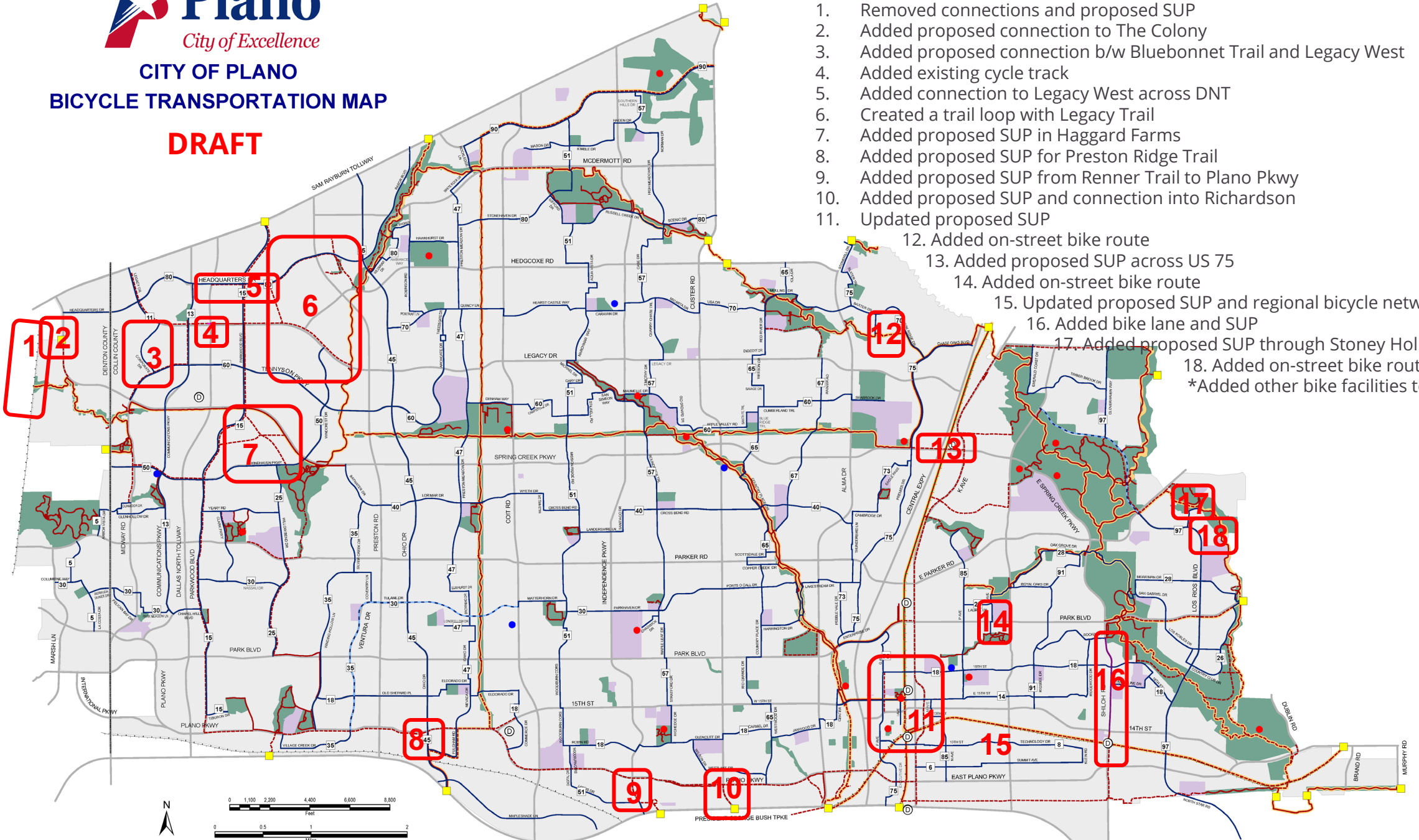
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BICYCLE TRANSPORTATION MAP**

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Changes from 2021 Bicycle Transportation Map

1. Removed connections and proposed SUP
 2. Added proposed connection to The Colony
 3. Added proposed connection b/w Bluebonnet Trail and Legacy West
 4. Added existing cycle track
 5. Added connection to Legacy West across DNT
 6. Created a trail loop with Legacy Trail
 7. Added proposed SUP in Haggard Farms
 8. Added proposed SUP for Preston Ridge Trail
 9. Added proposed SUP from Renner Trail to Plano Pkwy
 10. Added proposed SUP and connection into Richardson
 11. Updated proposed SUP
 12. Added on-street bike route
 13. Added proposed SUP across US 75
 14. Added on-street bike route
 15. Updated proposed SUP and regional bicycle network
 16. Added bike lane and SUP
 17. Added proposed SUP through Stoney Hollow Park
 18. Added on-street bike route
- *Added other bike facilities to legend



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QUESTIONS?