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On behalf of the Rowan County Parks and Recreation Commission, please accept this letter of endorsement for the Rowan County Parks and Recreation Master Plan adoption consideration. It is without reservation that the Parks and Recreation Commission endorse the plan developed by The John R. McAdams Company.

After extensively reviewing the master plan in great detail, we feel that it provides a thorough vision for continued development and enhanced utilization of the county parks and recreation services provided to Rowan County residents. The plan is grounded in data from sources both locally and abroad. Its short-range and long-range recommendations provide an excellent balance of enhancing existing infrastructure as well as planning to address future projected needs based on growth.

Notwithstanding, the proposed plan outlines enhancements to a thriving Parks and Recreation department that can further boost the economic vision of Rowan County. Great emphasis has been placed on enticing business and industry to our area. This proposed plan satisfies a major component in the plan to enhance our economic well-being.

We, as a Commission, fully endorse this proposed plan. We are encouraged and excited about the possibilities such a comprehensive plan provides.

Sincerely,

Kevin J. Taylor
Chairman
Rowan County Parks and Recreation Commission