

CLASSIFICATION	USE	SERVICE AREA	SIZE	ATTRIBUTES/ LOCATION	EXISTING FACILITIES
<b>SIGNATURE COUNTY RECREATION FACILITY</b>	County parkland with a regional draw, such as a unique natural feature or recreation component	Countywide	100-1,000 acres	Unique recreation features; accessible facilities for diverse population	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Quarry Park and Nature Preserve*</li> <li>Lake Wobegon Trail*</li> </ul>
<b>LINEAR PARK / GREENWAY / TRAIL</b>	One or more modes of recreational travel; could include land-based trail or water trail	Countywide	Sufficient width to provide maximum resource protection and use; adequate length for use	Where corridors occur naturally and in the context of transportation corridors	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Beaver Island Trail (to be developed) *</li> <li>Dairyland Trail</li> <li>ROCORI Trail (to be developed)</li> </ul>
<b>SPECIAL FEATURE</b>	Area for specialized or single-purpose activities – i.e., golf course, nature center, arboretum, historic site, canoe access, wayside, boat landing, etc.	Countywide	As needed for specific purpose	Appropriate to purpose	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Upper Spunk Lake County Park</li> <li>Fairhaven Mill Park</li> <li>Lake Sylvia Wayside</li> <li>St. Martin Canoe Access</li> <li>Heims Mill Canoe Access</li> <li>Miller Landing</li> <li>Clearwater River Canoe Access</li> </ul>
<b>COUNTY PARK OR OPEN SPACE</b>	Area of natural or scenic quality for nature-oriented outdoor recreation	3-5 communities or 10-mile radius	100 – 1,000 acres	Complete natural setting, preferably contiguous to water resources	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Warner Lake County Park*</li> <li>Mississippi River County Park (*future)</li> <li>Oak Township Park site (New Munich River Wayside)</li> <li>Lake Koronis Regional Park (*future)</li> <li>Kraemer Lake Park*</li> <li>Rockville Park*</li> <li>Spring Hill County Park</li> <li>Two Rivers Lake Park site</li> </ul>
<b>COUNTY PARK RESERVE</b>	Area of natural or scenic quality for nature-oriented outdoor recreation, including significant wildlife habitat and trail access; could include preservation land for environmental or aesthetic benefits; to avert negative consequences of development	Countywide	1,000+ acres Variable	Diversity of natural resources Significant resources which merit preservation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>None</li> </ul>

Table 9.1 Park Classification

\*Regionally-designated parks or trails that serve a larger area



NAME	ACRES	ADDRESS / LOCATION	FEATURES <sup>5</sup>	RECOMMENDED PARK CLASSIFICATION
QUARRY PARK AND NATURE PRESERVE <sup>4</sup>	683	1802 County Road 137, Waite Park	Rock climbing, scuba diving, swimming, nature trails, picnic areas, ski, snowshoe, hiking trails, bike paths, environmental education, group camp, mountain bike trail, fat tire biking, historical site	Signature County Recreation Facility
ROCKVILLE COUNTY PARK AND NATURE PRESERVE <sup>3,4</sup>	294	11503 Glacier Road, St. Cloud	Fishing, canoe campsites, picnic area, canoe access, trails, group camp	County Park
KRAEMER LAKE-WILDWOOD COUNTY PARK	265	29709 Kipper Road, St. Joseph	Fishing, ski trails, hiking trails, overlook, youth group camp	County Park
WARNER LAKE COUNTY PARK <sup>4</sup>	264	1485 County Road 143, Clearwater	Boat access, fishing, group camp, nature trail, hiking trails, picnic area, picnic shelter, play area, prairie, swimming beach, snowmobile trail	County Park
MISSISSIPPI RIVER COUNTY PARK <sup>4</sup>	230	41300 County Road 1, Rice	Boat access, fishing, picnic area, nature trail, picnic shelter, play area, prairie, ski trail, disc golf course, group camp, archery range	County Park
SPRING HILL COUNTY PARK <sup>3,4</sup>	82	31938 County Road 14, Melrose	Canoe access, canoe campground, fishing, picnic area, picnic shelter, play area, prairie, river wayside, snowmobile trail	County Park
LAKE KORONIS REGIONAL PARK <sup>1</sup>	62	14076 Bluefield Road, Paynesville	Boat access, fishing, nature trail, picnic area, picnic shelter, play area, swimming beach, trailer campground	County Park (inter-county)
TWO RIVERS LAKE PARK SITE <sup>4</sup>	56	38694 County Road 10, Albany	Fishing, picnic area, trails, group camp	County Park
OAK TOWNSHIP PARK SITE (NEW MUNICH RIVER WAYSIDE)	32	33685 County Road 12, Melrose	Open space, canoe access, picnic area, archery, canoe camp	County Park
UPPER SPUNK LAKE COUNTY PARK	7	17626 County Road 9, Avon	Fishing, picnic area	Special Feature

Table 9.2 Stearns County Park Facilities (continued on following page)

NAME	ACRES	ADDRESS / LOCATION	FEATURES	RECOMMENDED PARK CLASSIFICATION
<b>FAIRHAVEN MILL PARK <sup>2</sup></b>	5	5001 Birchdale Road, South Haven	Boat access, fishing, historic site, picnic area	Special Feature (inter-county)
<b>LAKE SYLVIA WAYSIDE</b>	3	32574 County Road 17, Melrose	Boat access, fishing, picnic area	Special Feature
<b>ST. MARTIN CANOE ACCESS</b>	1	27427 Sauk Landing Road, Paynesville	Canoe access, fishing	Special Feature
<b>HEIMS MILL CANOE ACCESS</b>	0.7	32324 County Road 1, St. Cloud	Fishing, canoe access, picnic area	Special Feature
<b>MILLER LANDING</b>	6	7502 County Road 138, St. Cloud	Canoe access, picnic area	Special Feature
<b>CLEARWATER RIVER CANOE ACCESS</b>	1	12482 Bayview Road, Clearwater	Canoe access, picnic area	Special Feature
<b>BEAVER ISLAND TRAIL</b>	40	St. Cloud - Clearwater	Paved trail (not completed as of 2019)	Linear Park / Greenway / Trail
<b>DAIRYLAND TRAIL / SOO LINE RAIL CORRIDOR</b>	485	Greenwald – New Munich	Aggregate trail	Linear Park / Greenway / Trail
<b>LAKE WOBEGON TRAIL</b>	161	Waite Park-Sauk Centre / Albany -Holdingford	Paved trail, snowmobiling, hiking, biking, snowshoeing, etc.	Signature County Recreation Facility

*Note:*

1. Meeker County is responsible for management; Stearns contributes financially
2. Owned by Wright County and located largely in Stearns; managed jointly with Wright County; costs shared 50/50
3. Horses are allowed
4. All park camping except canoe campsites are for non-profit youth groups.